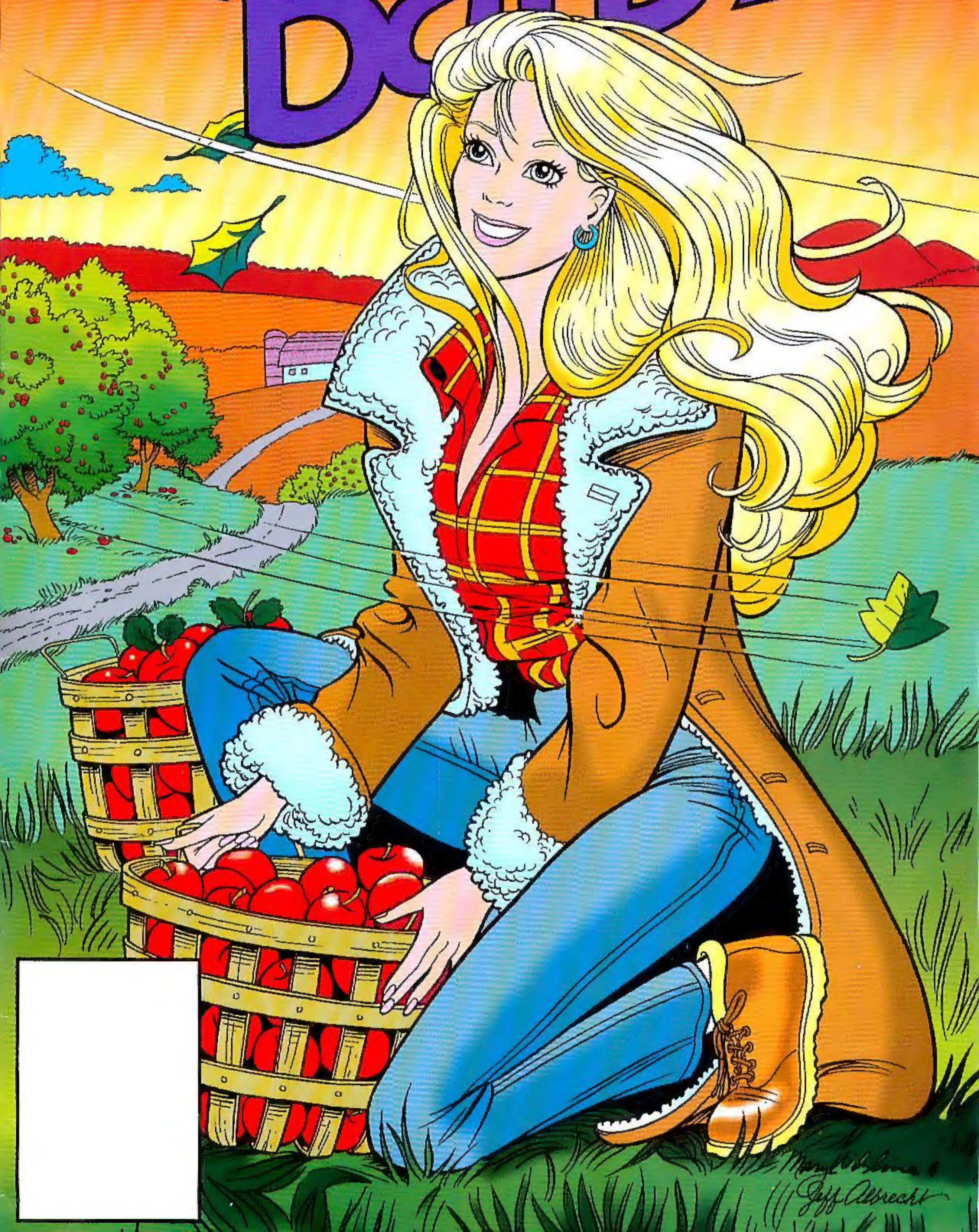


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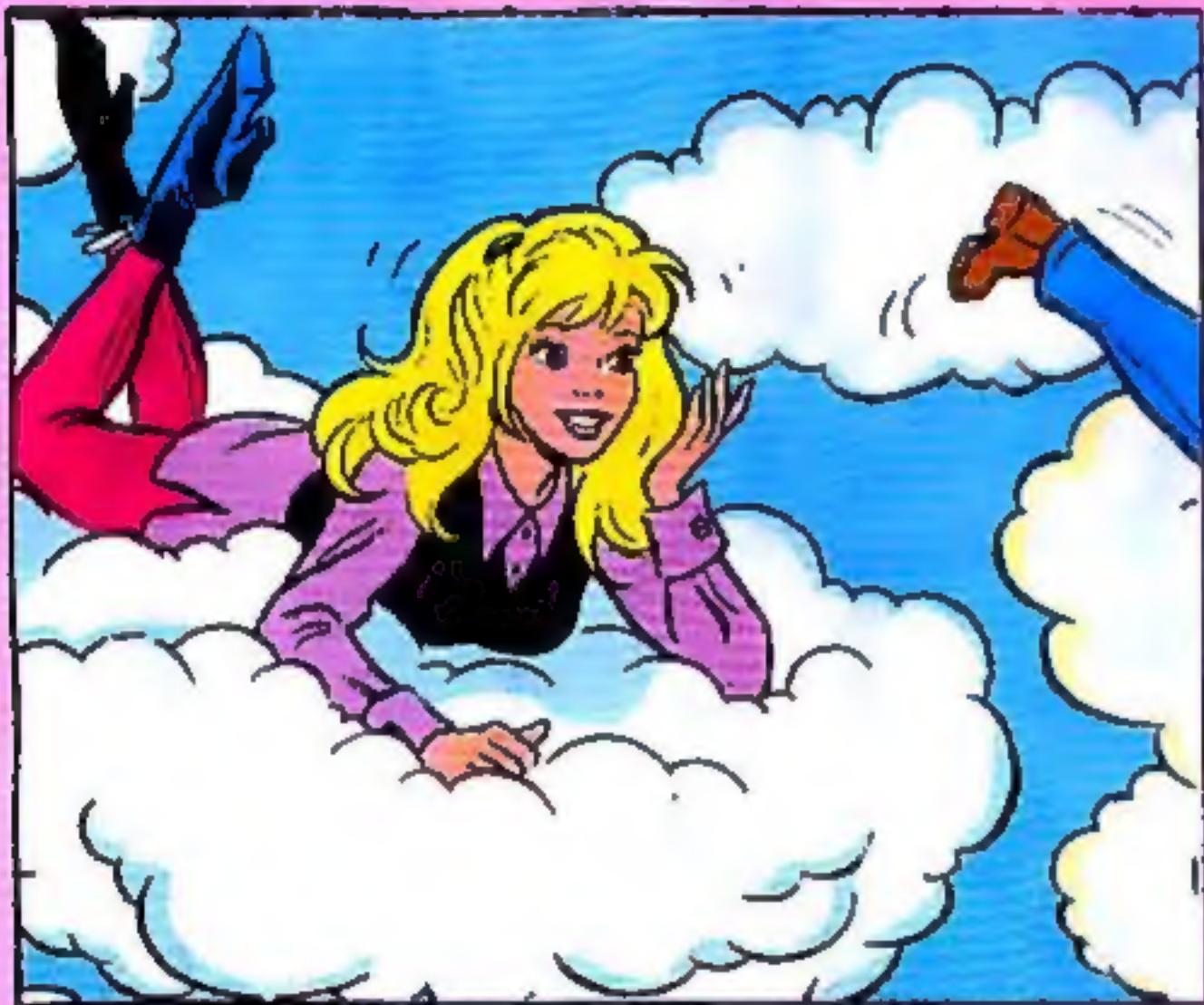
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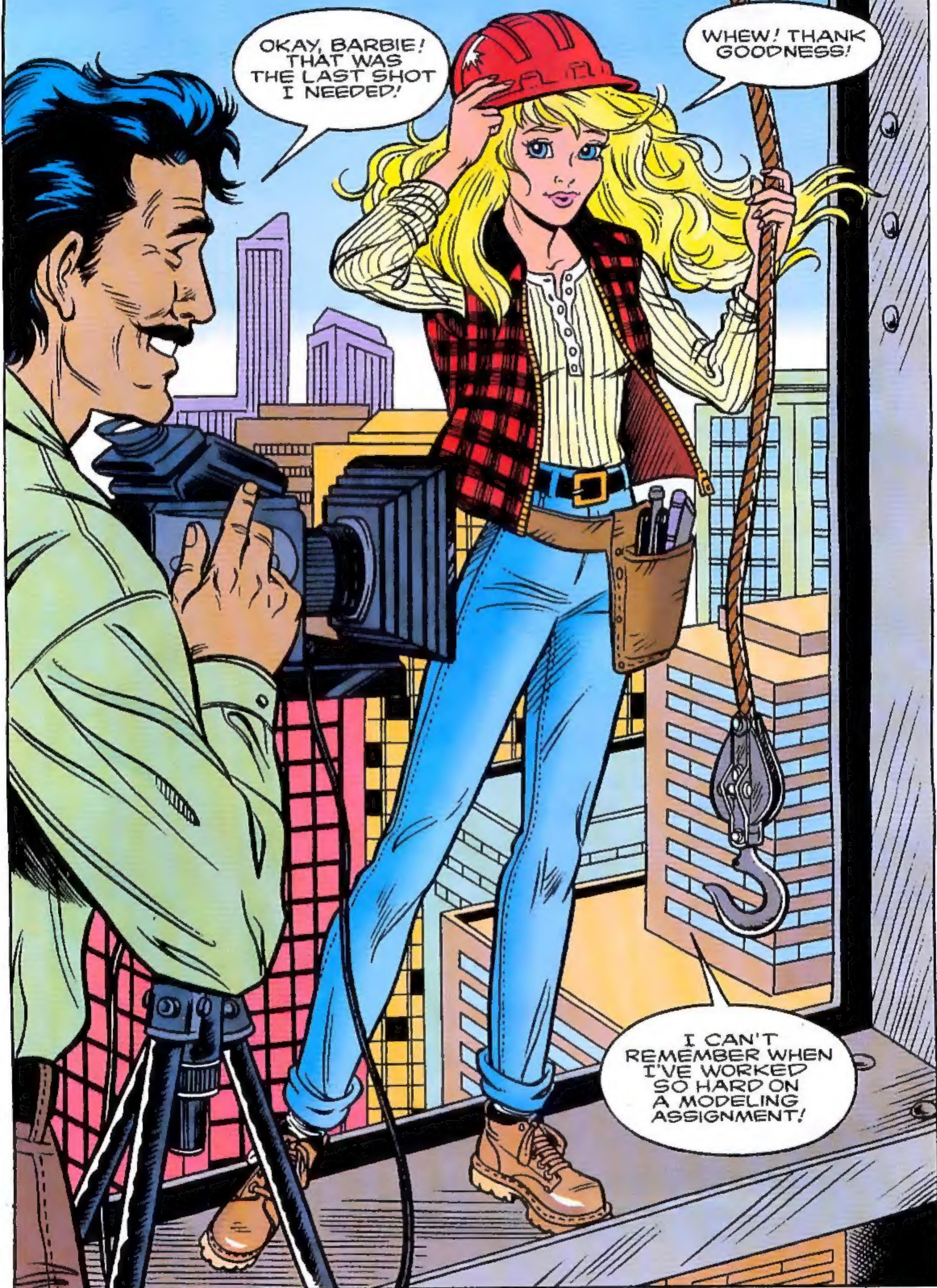
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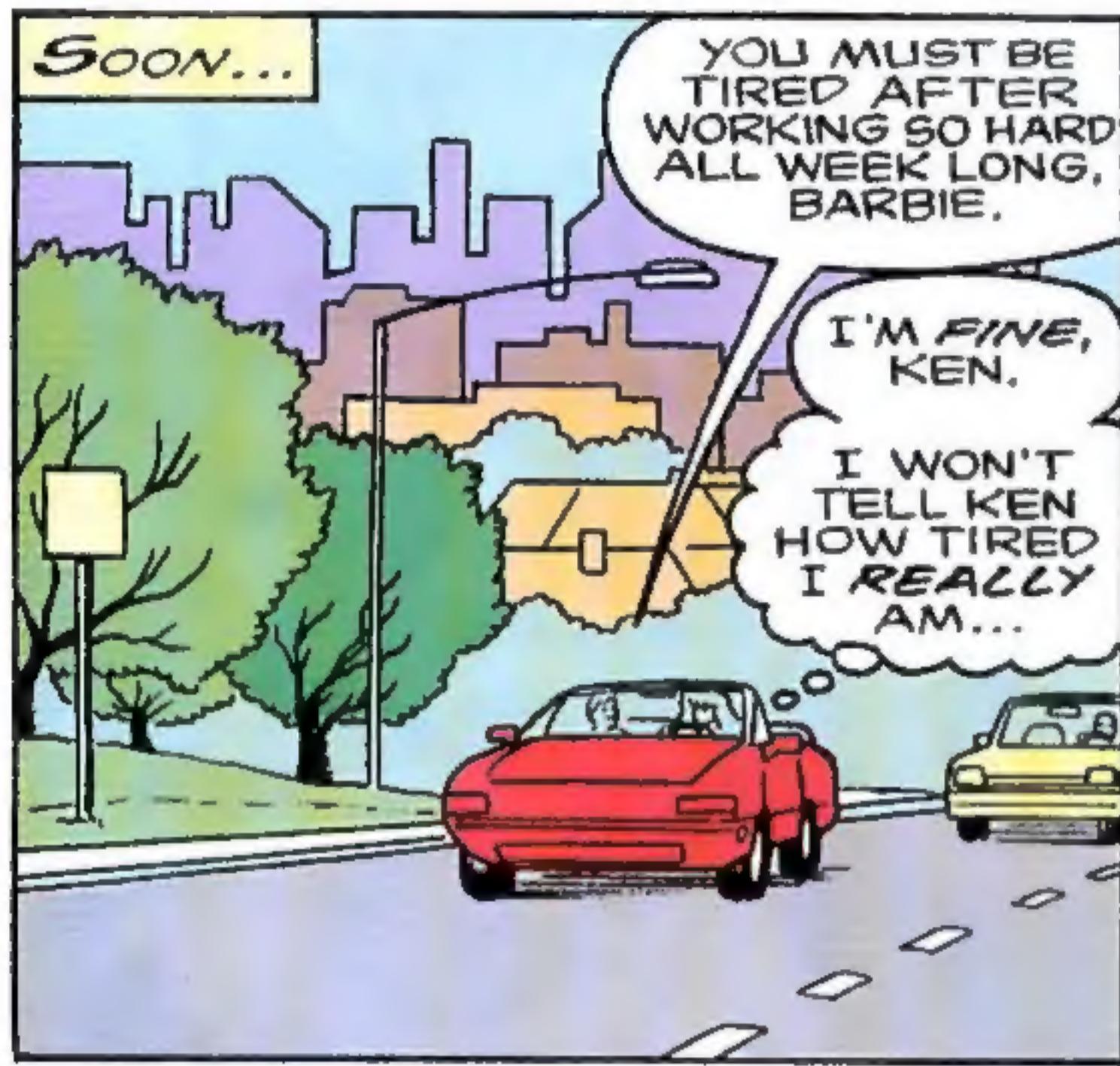
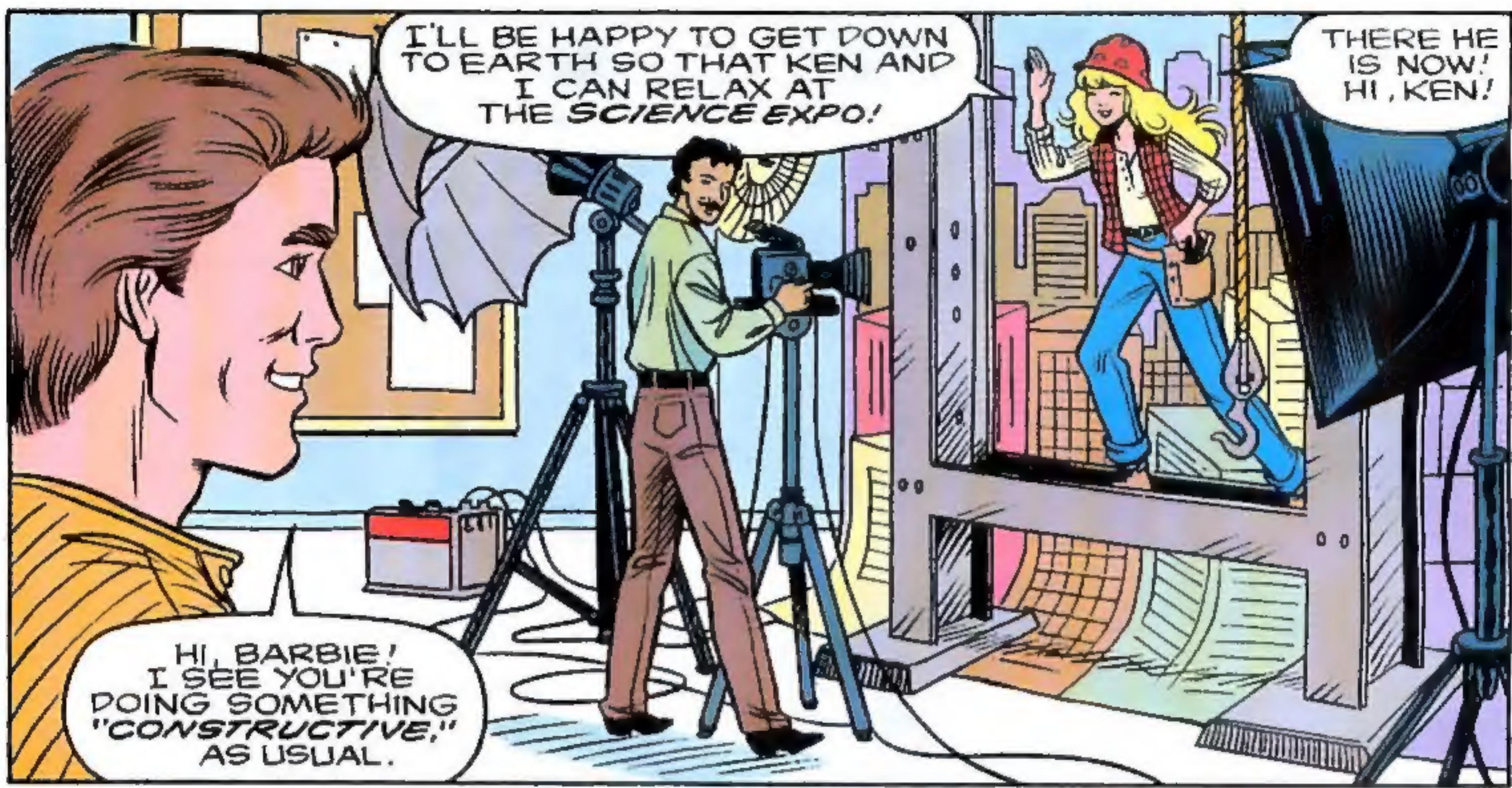
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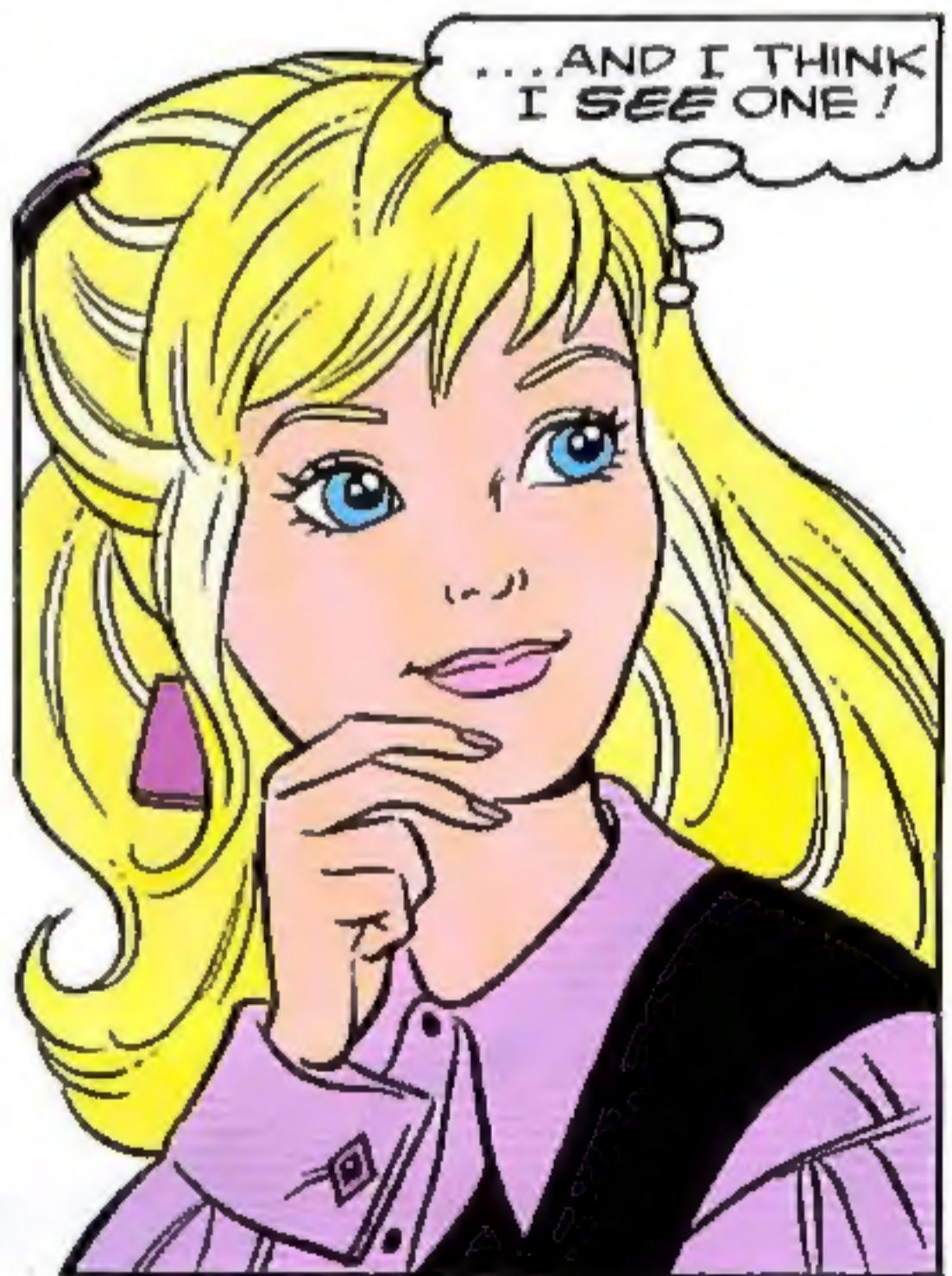
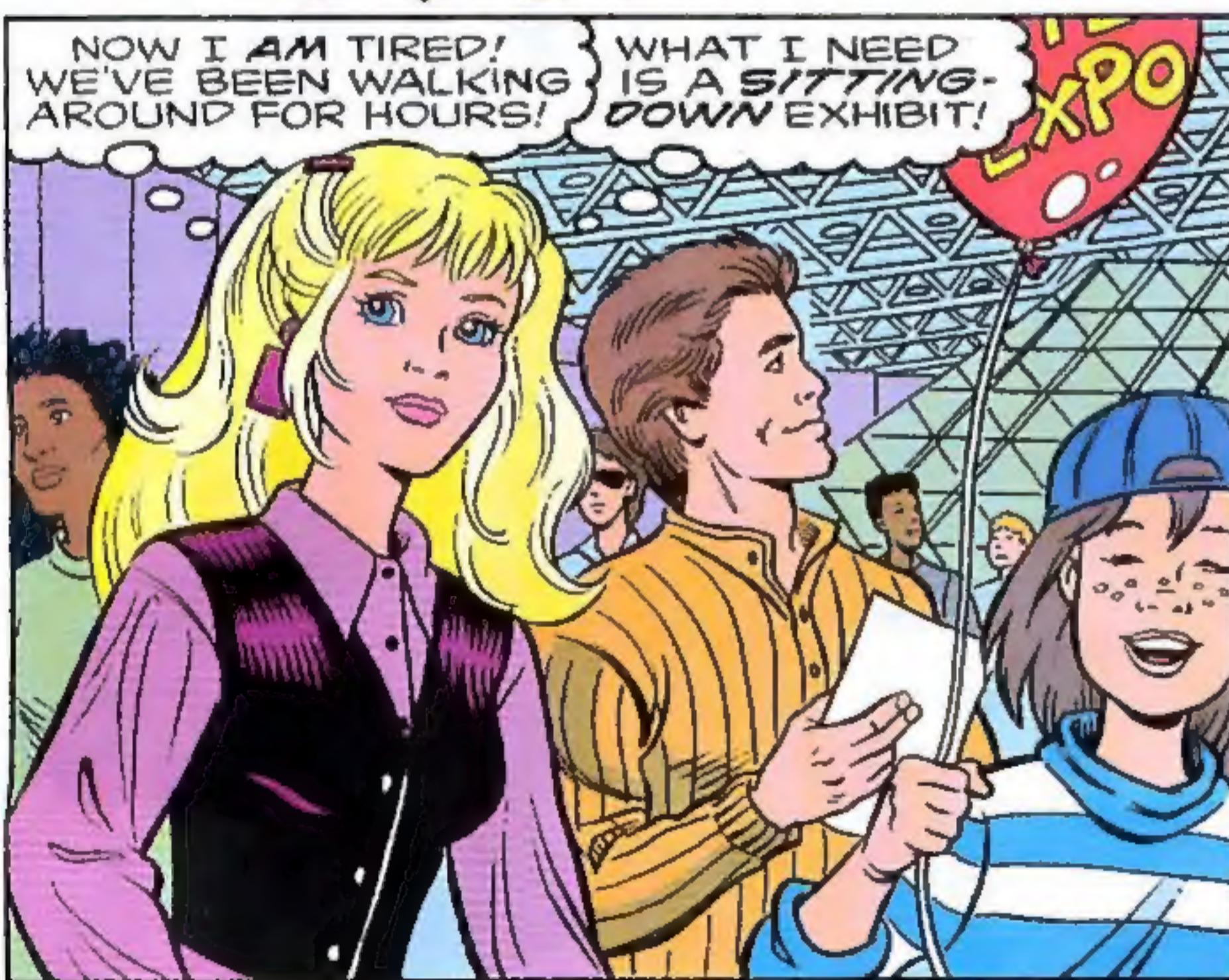
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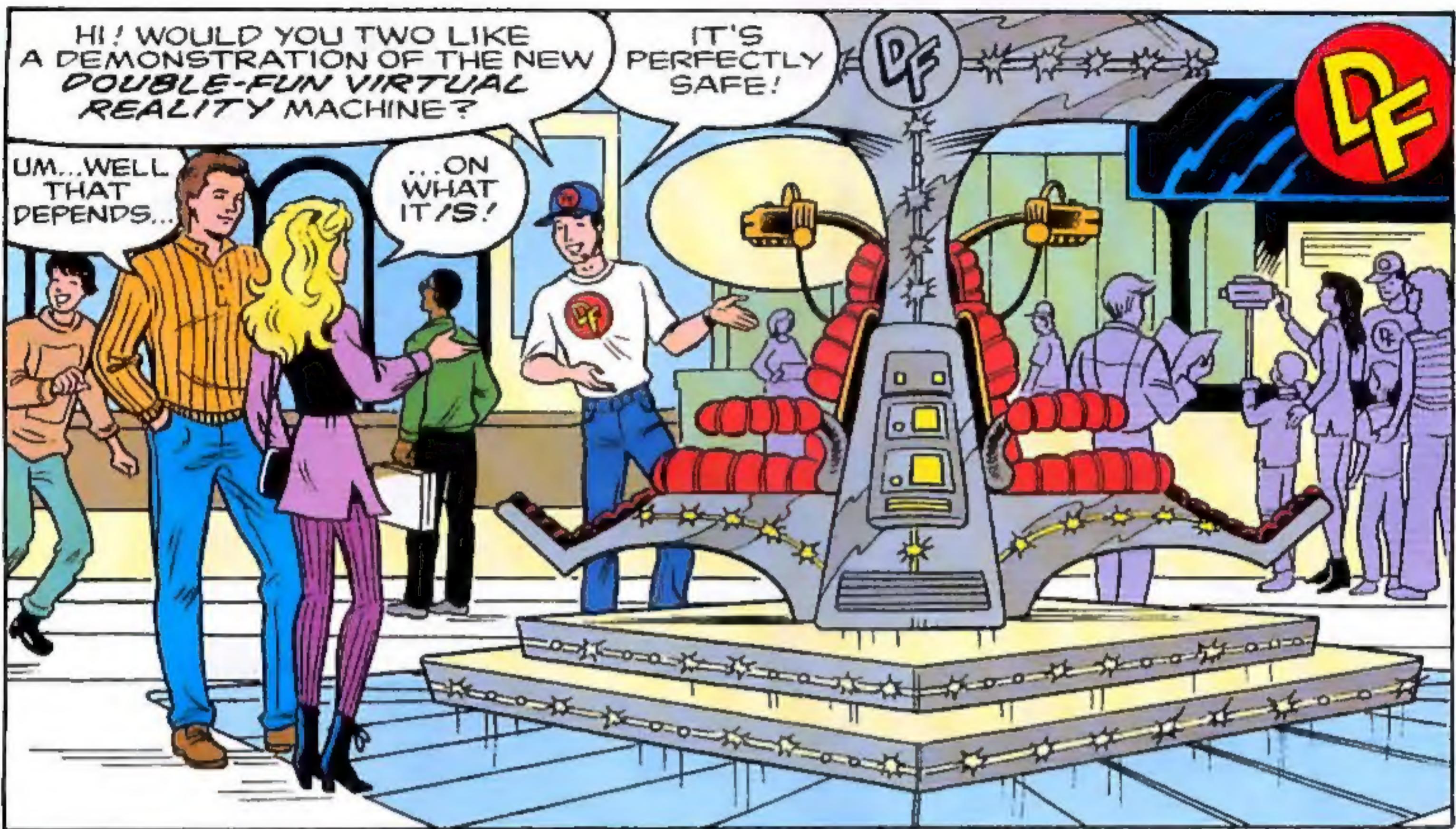
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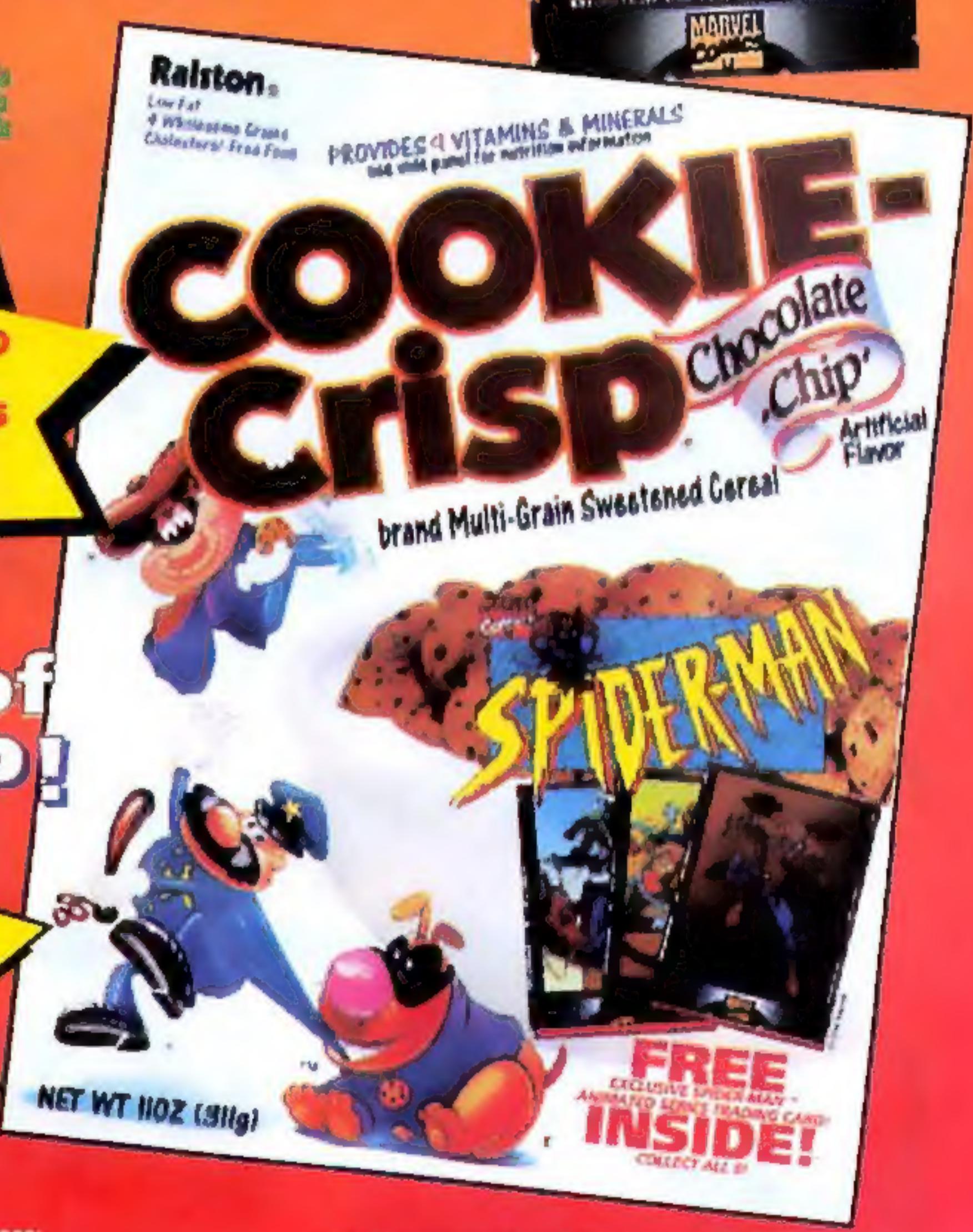


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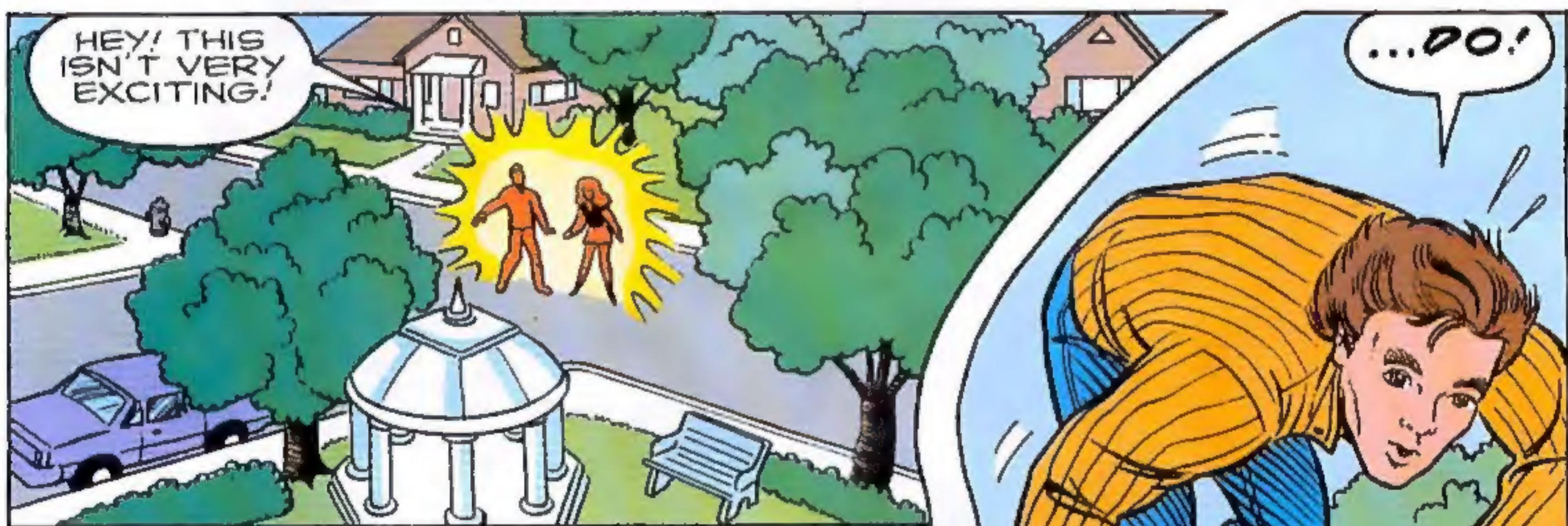
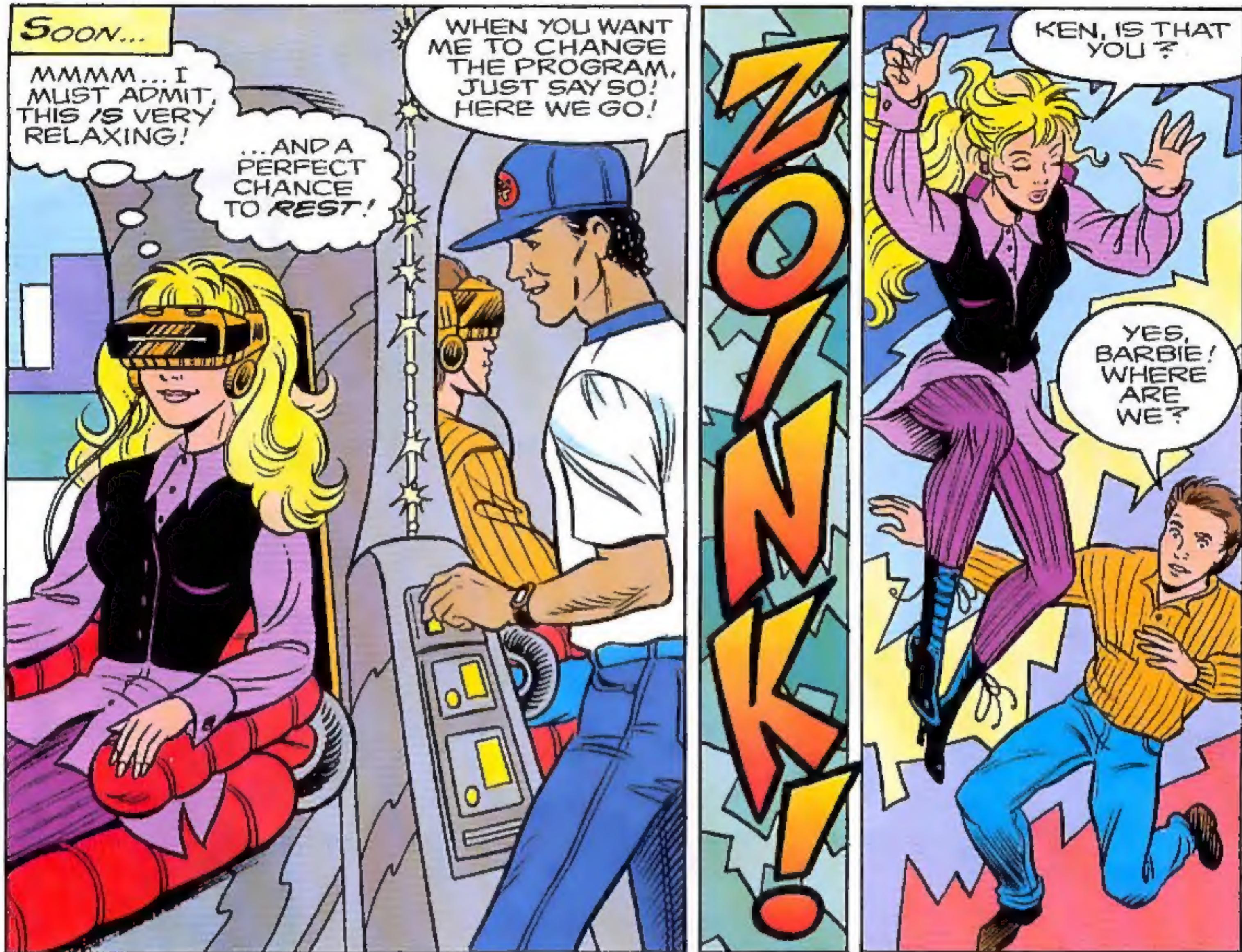
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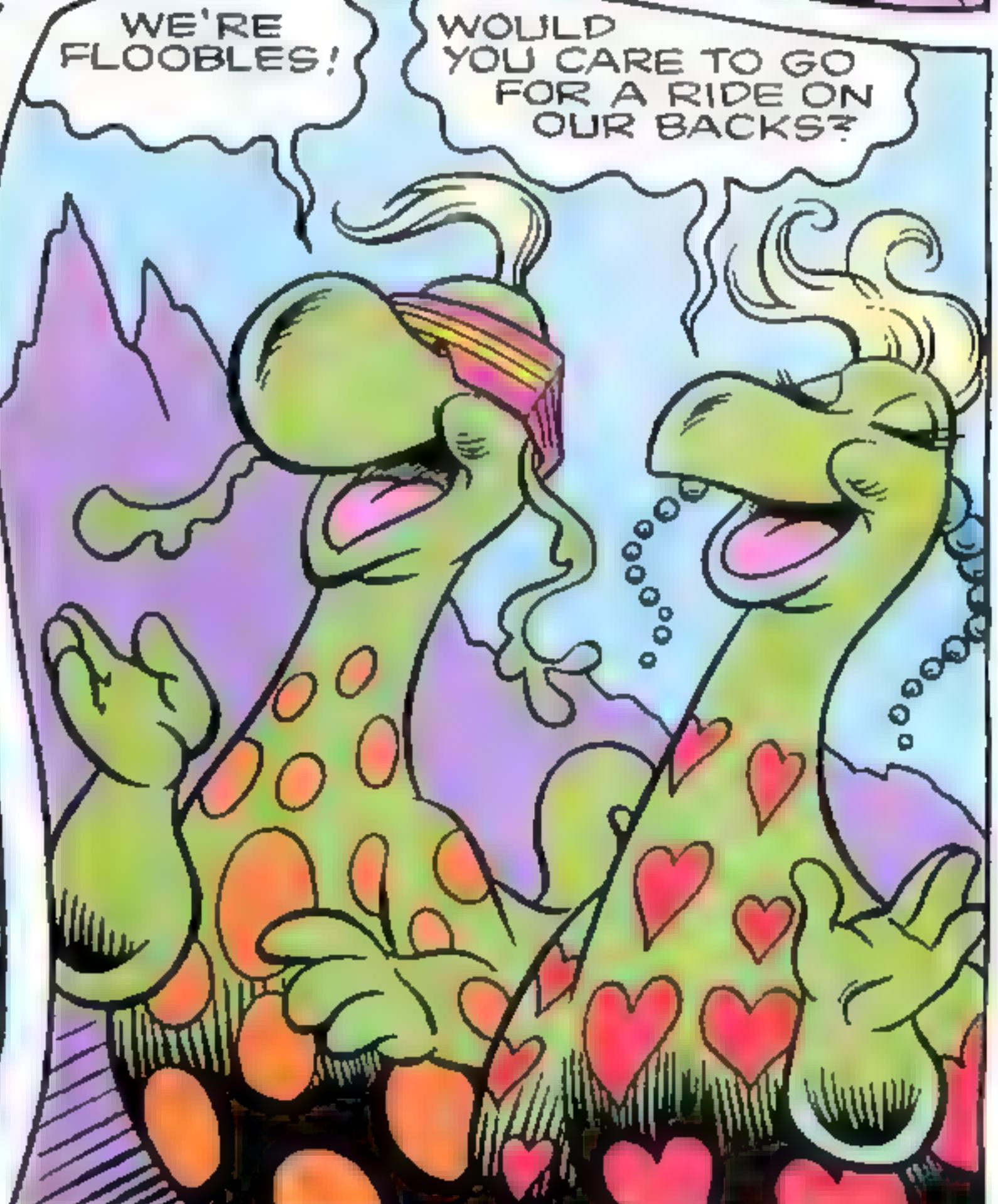
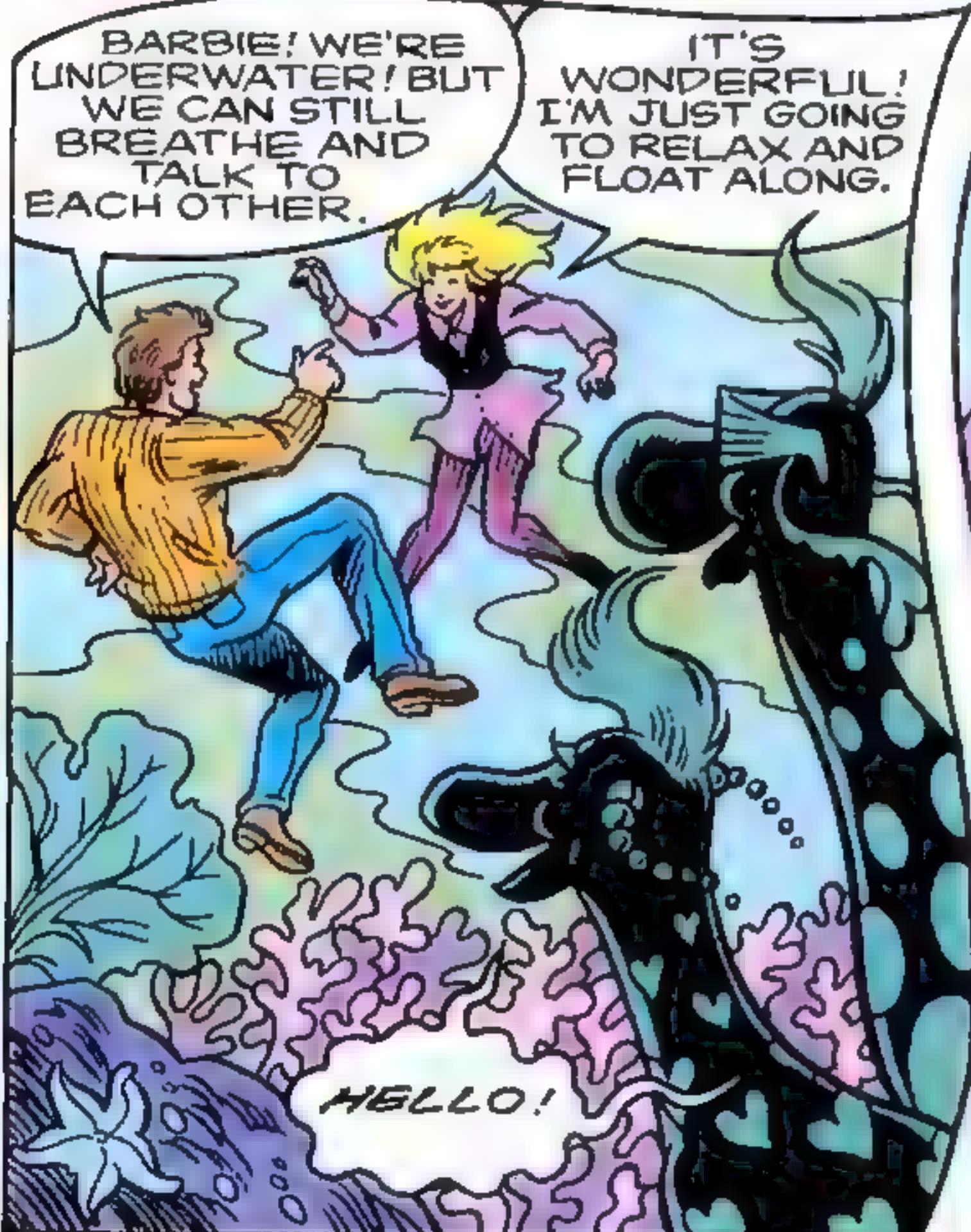


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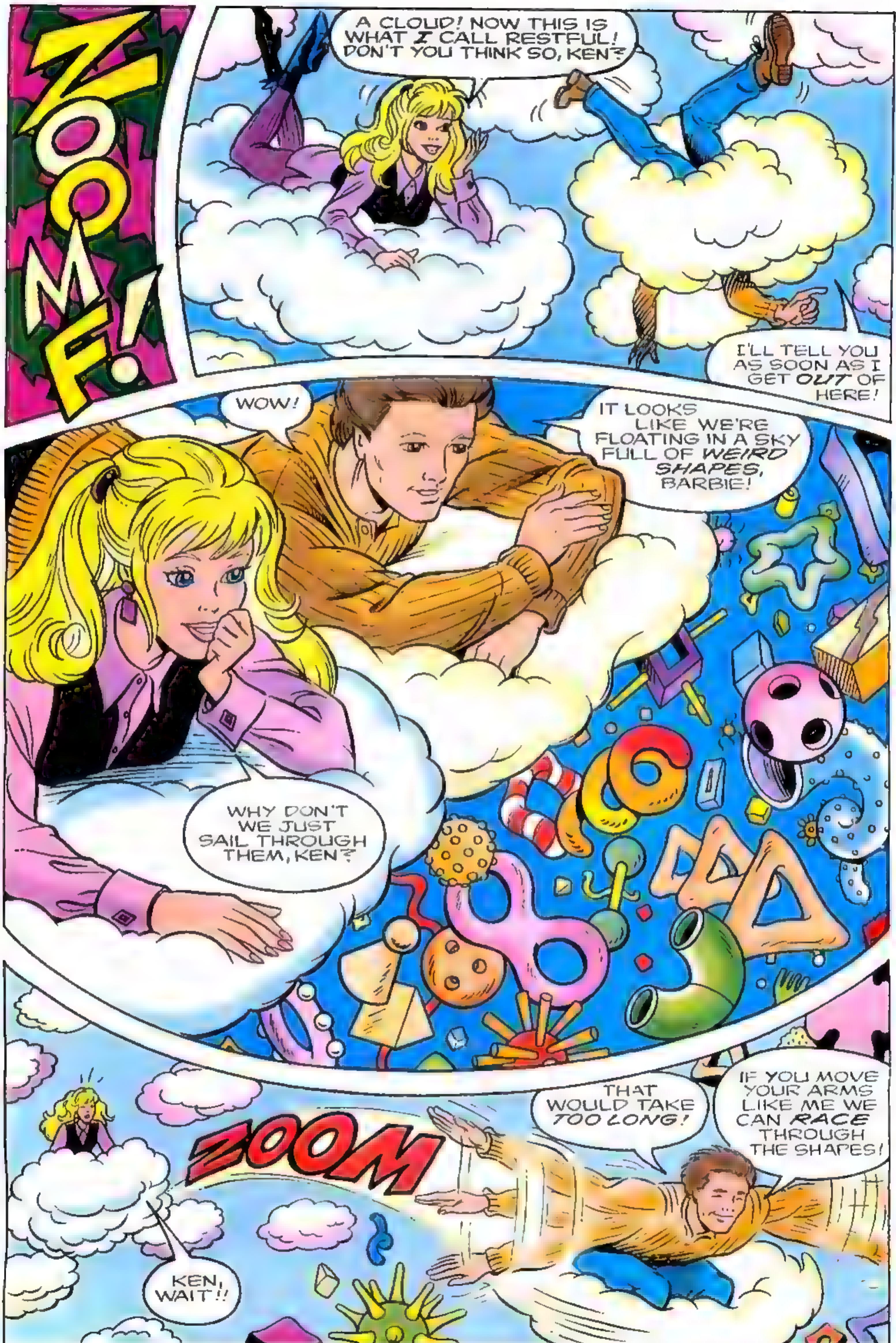
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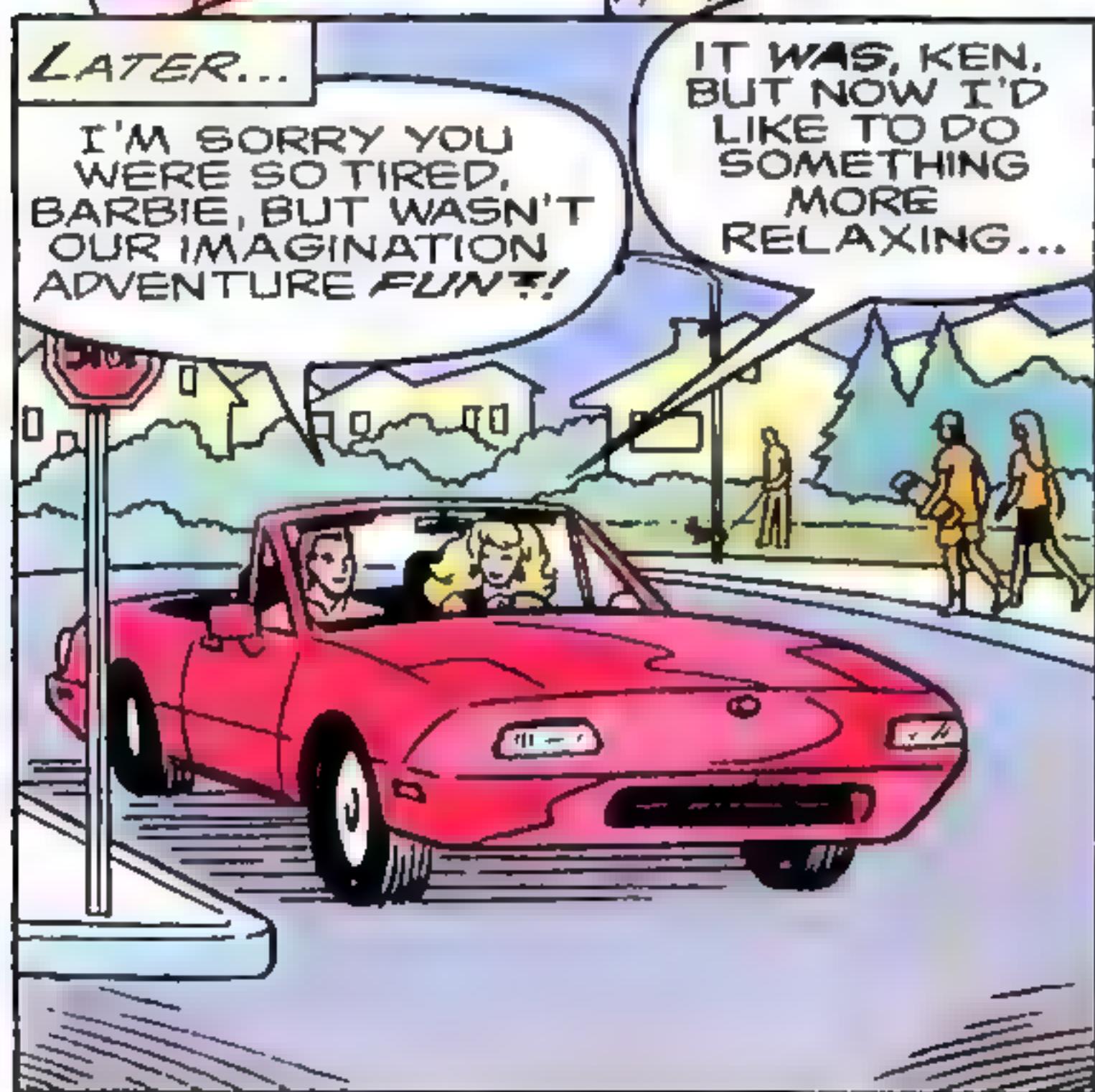
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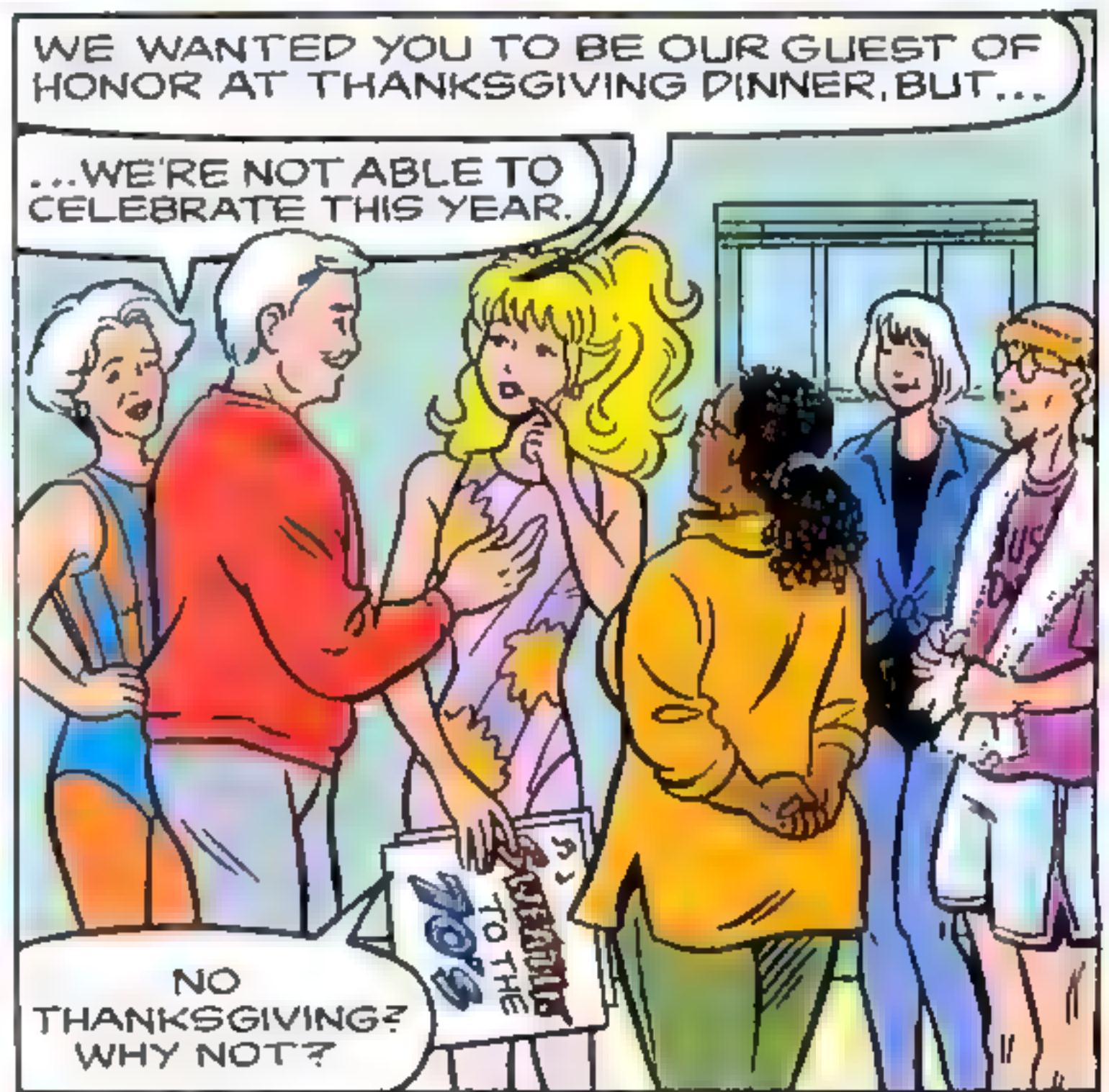
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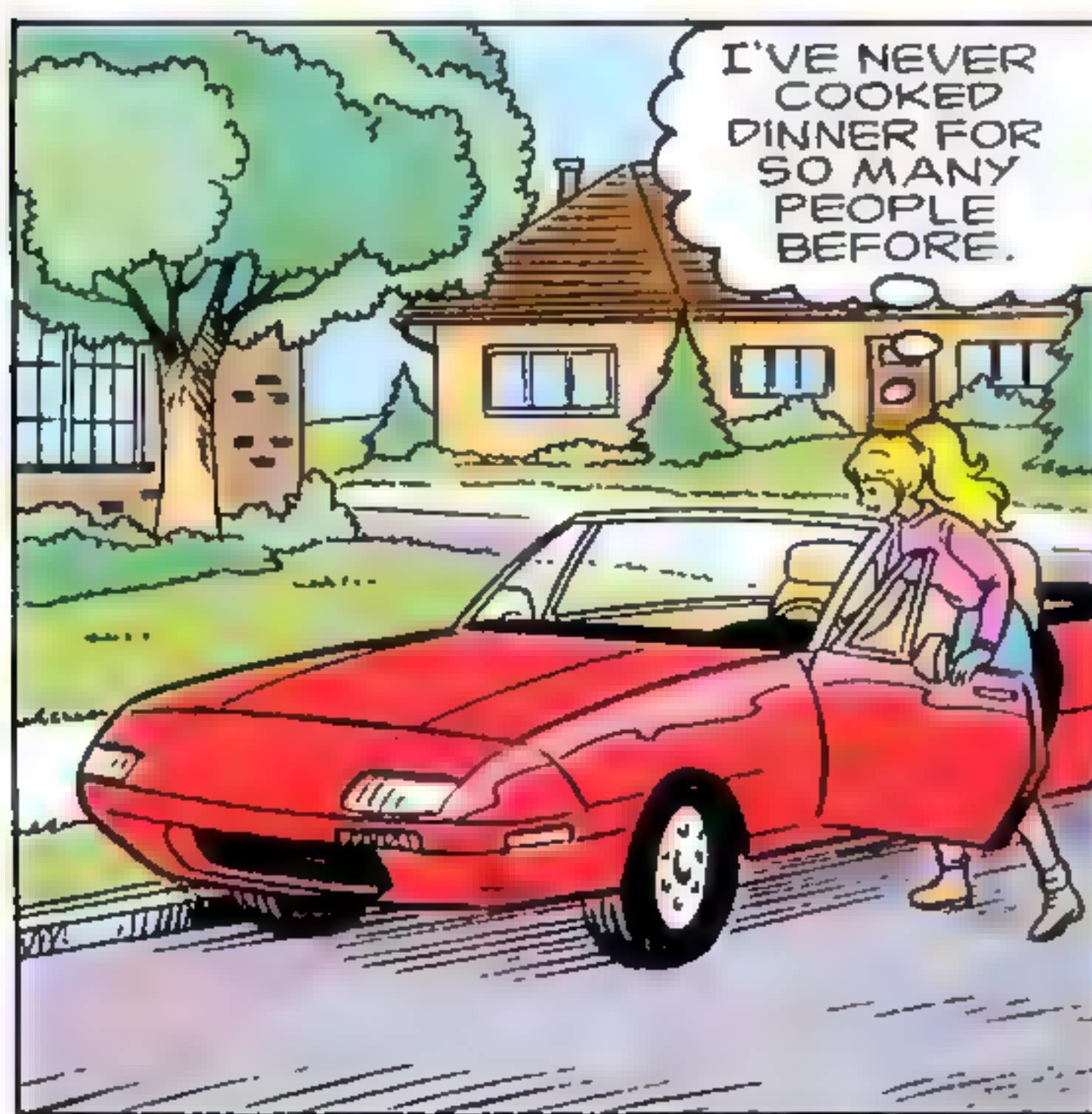
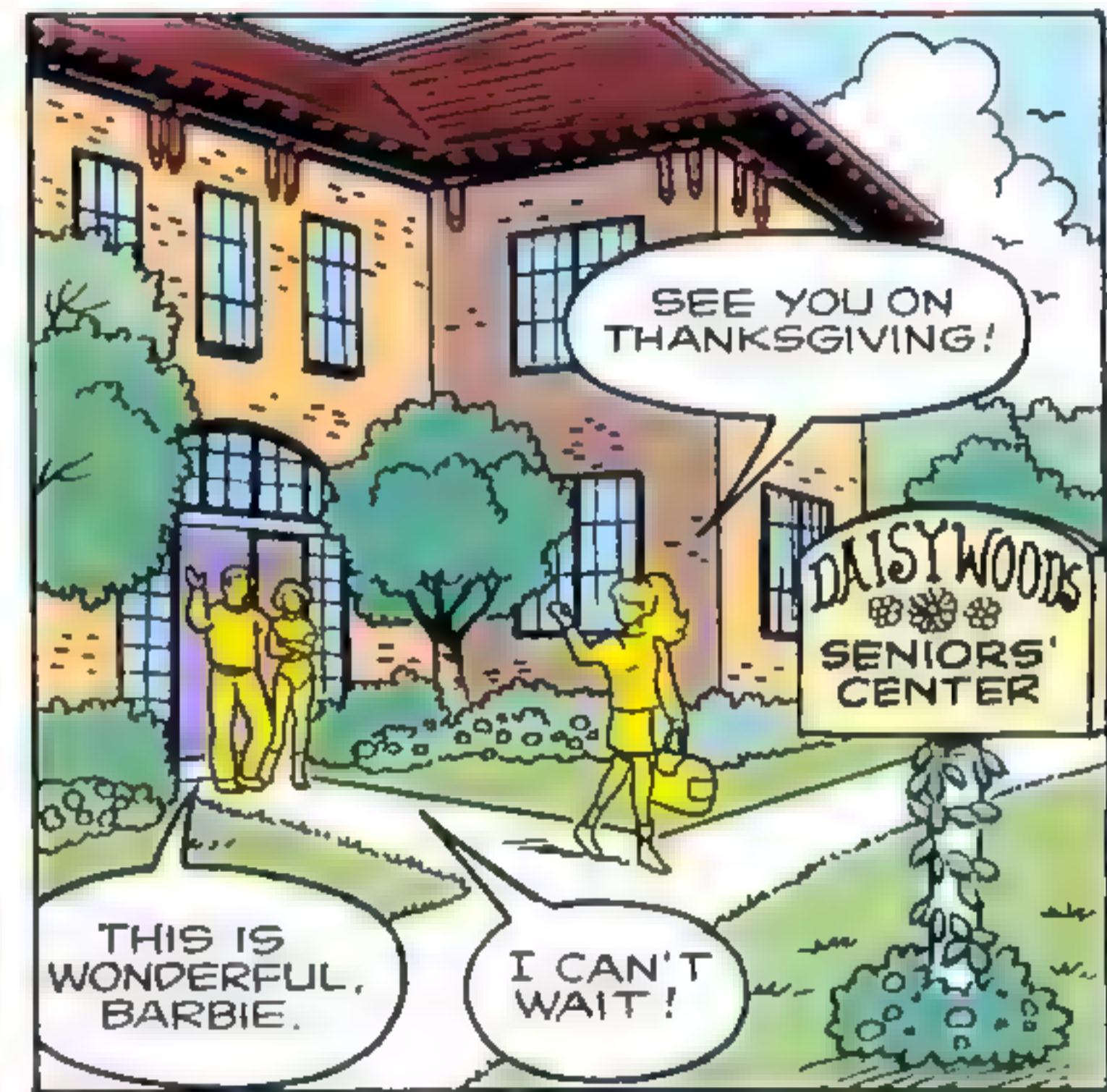
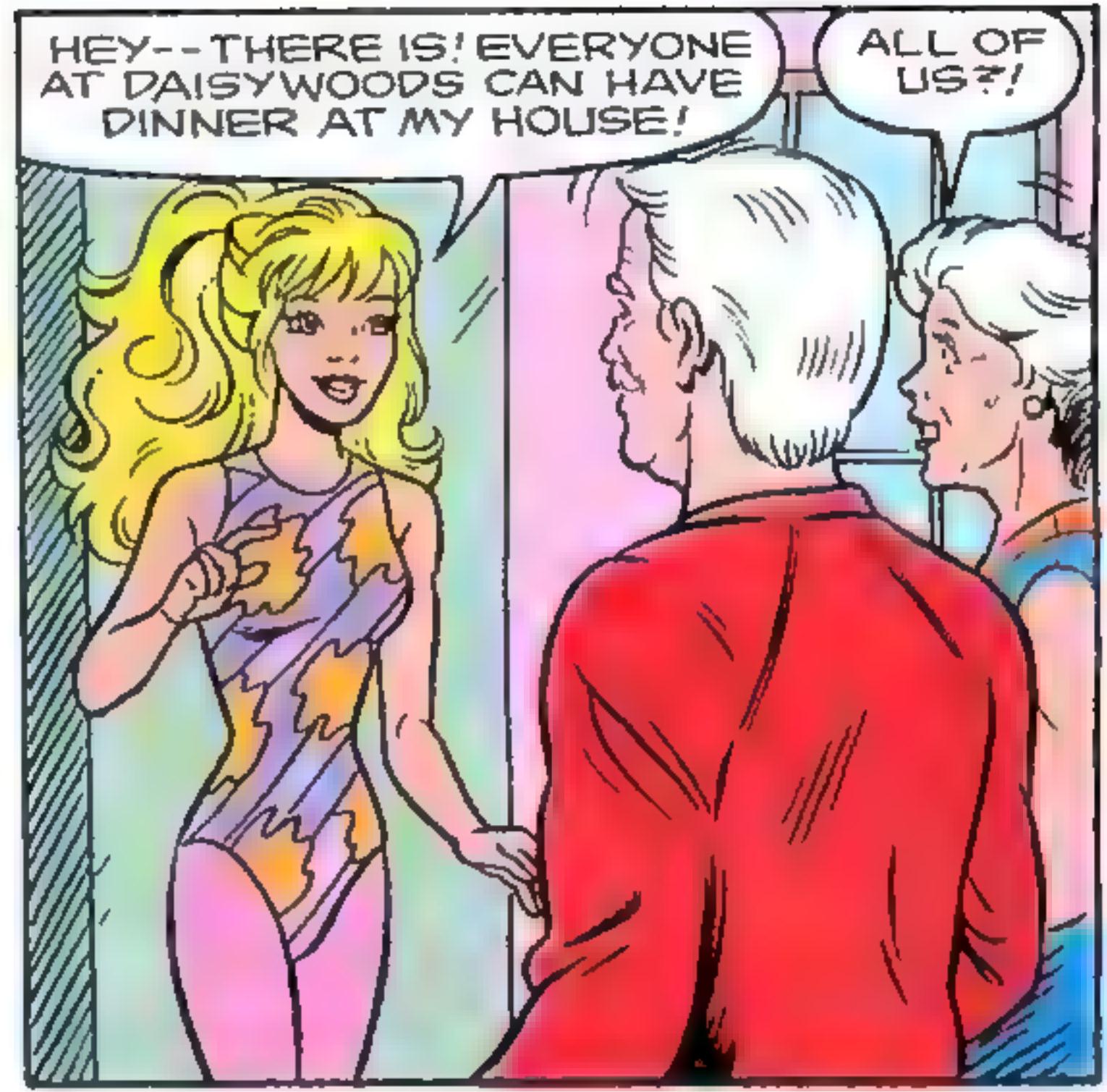
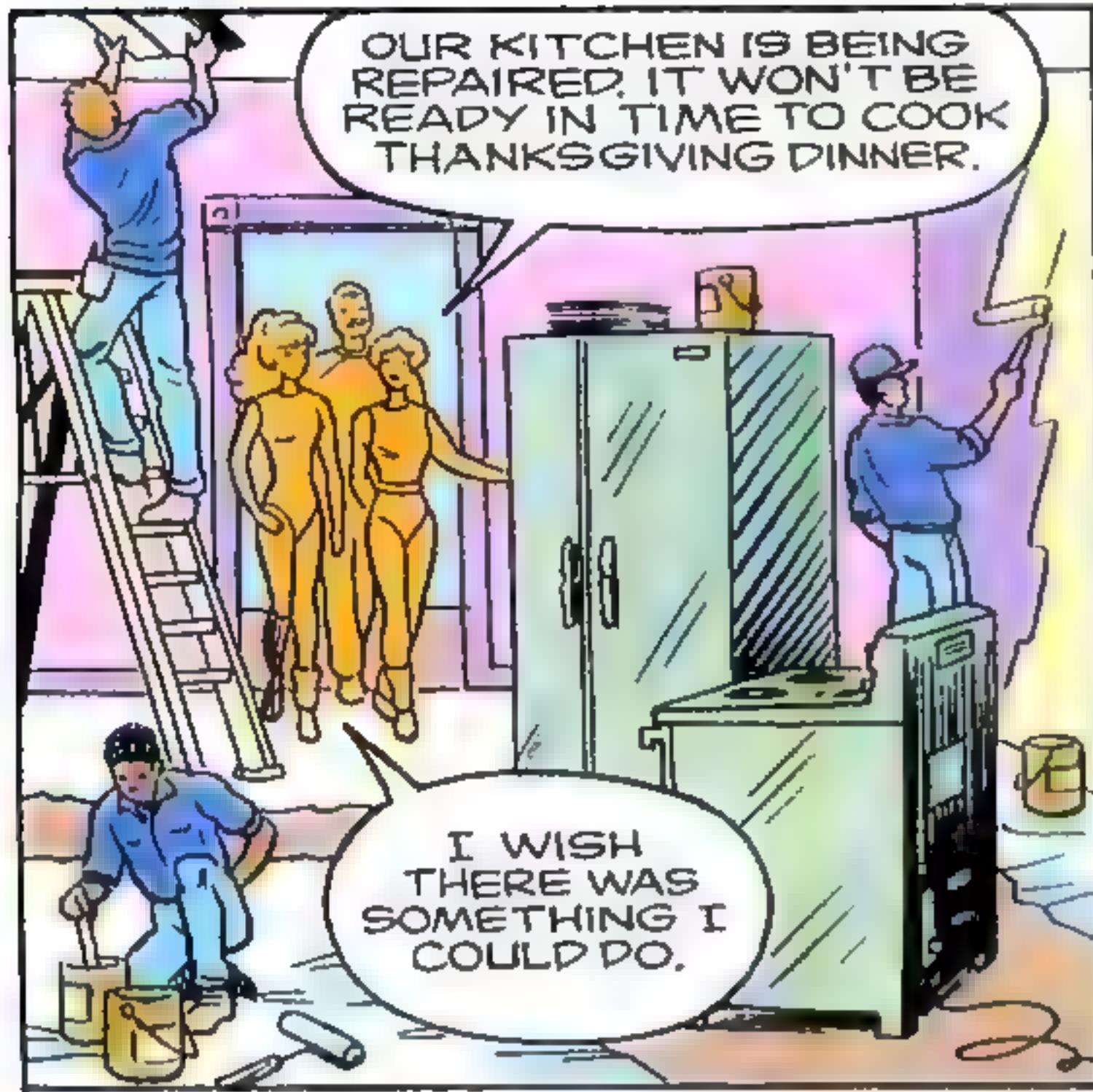
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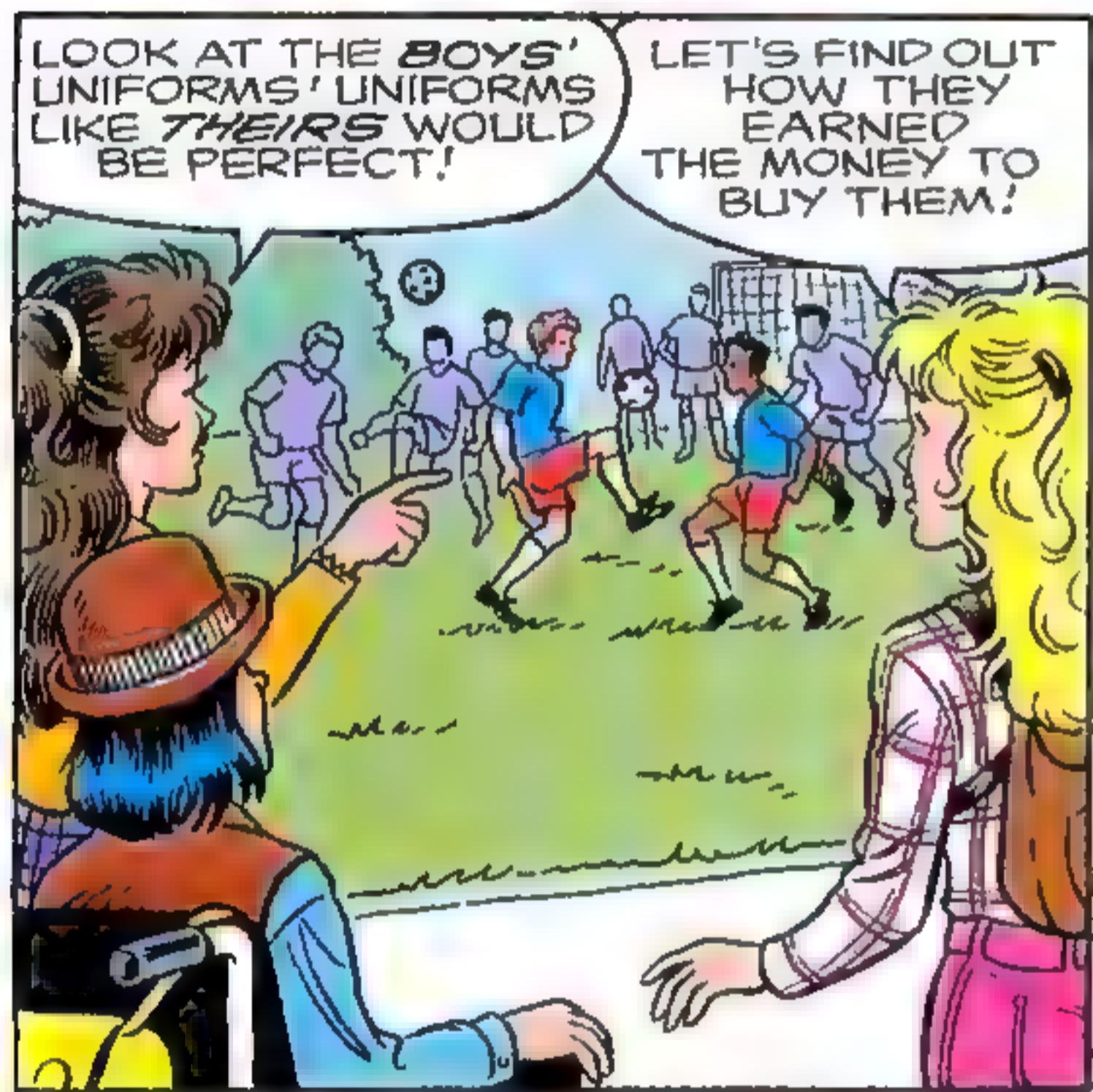
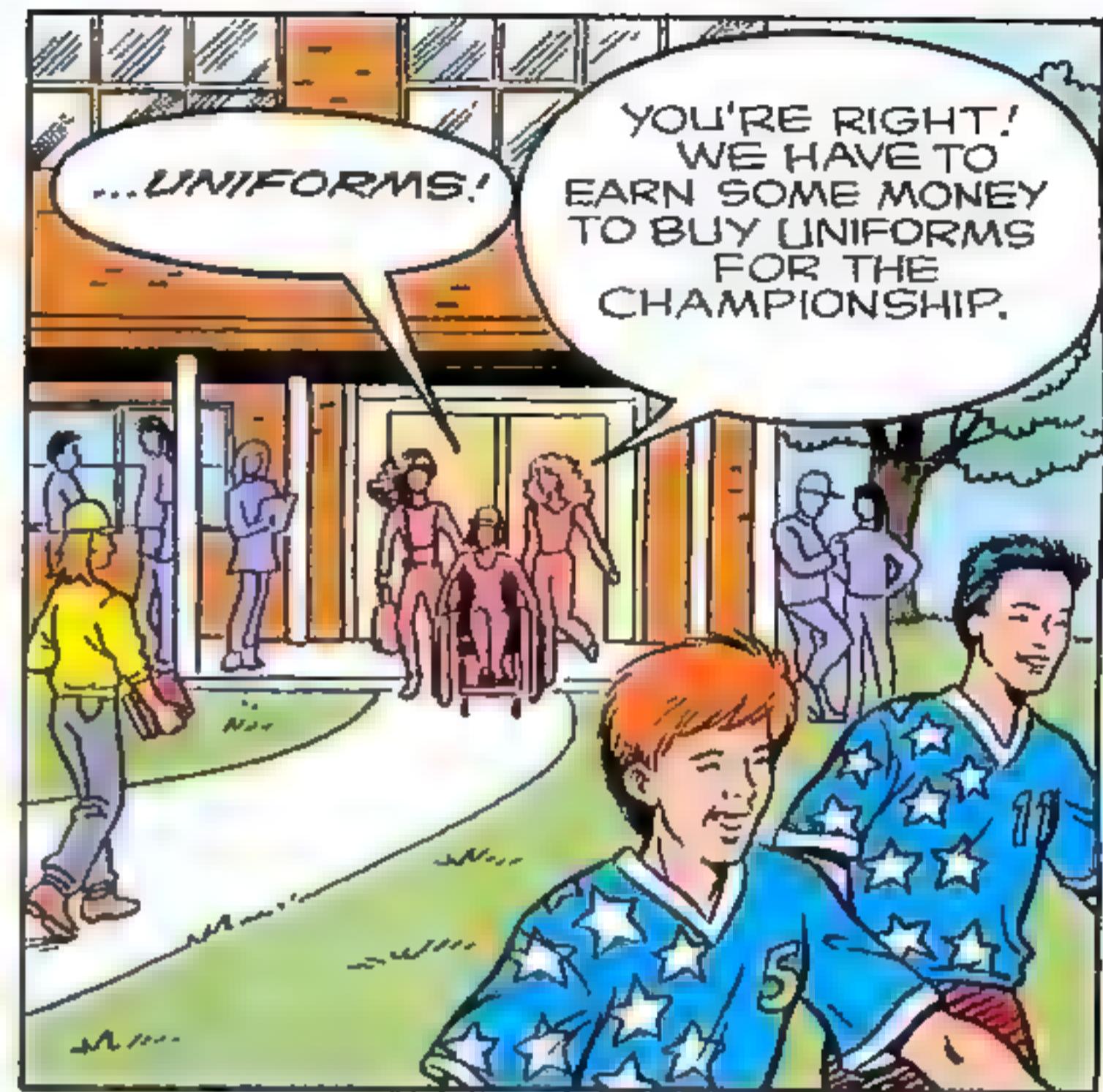
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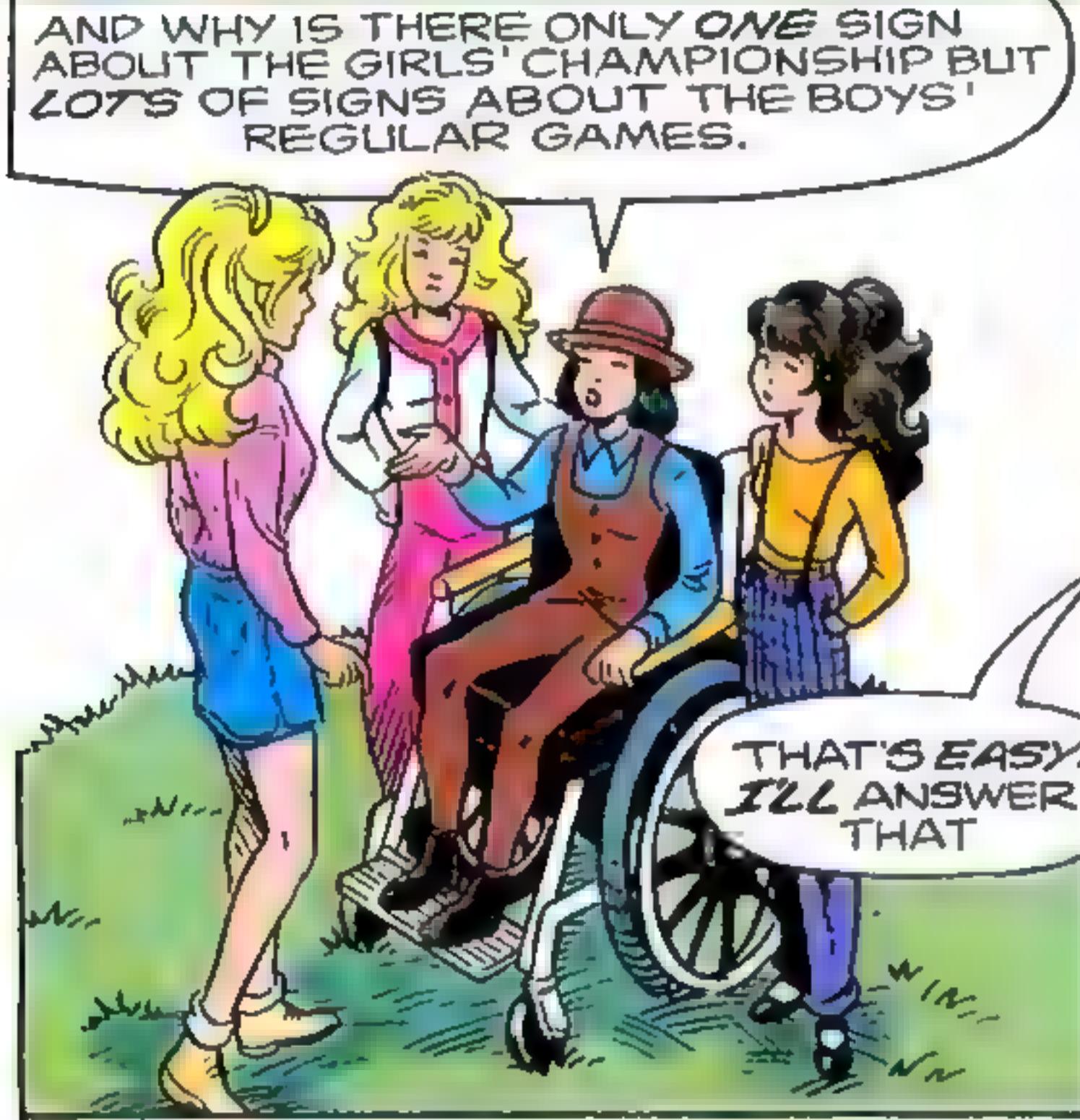
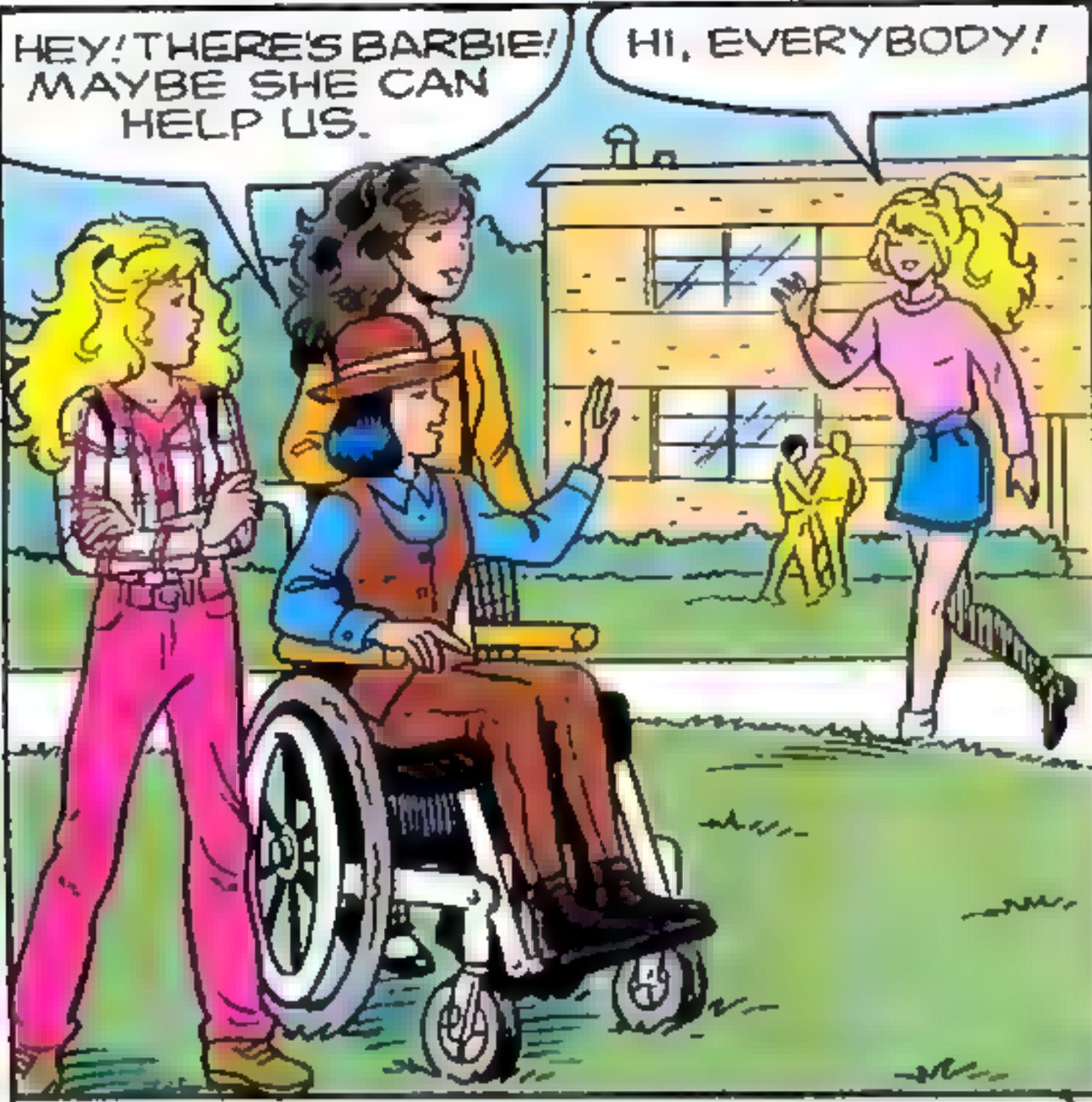


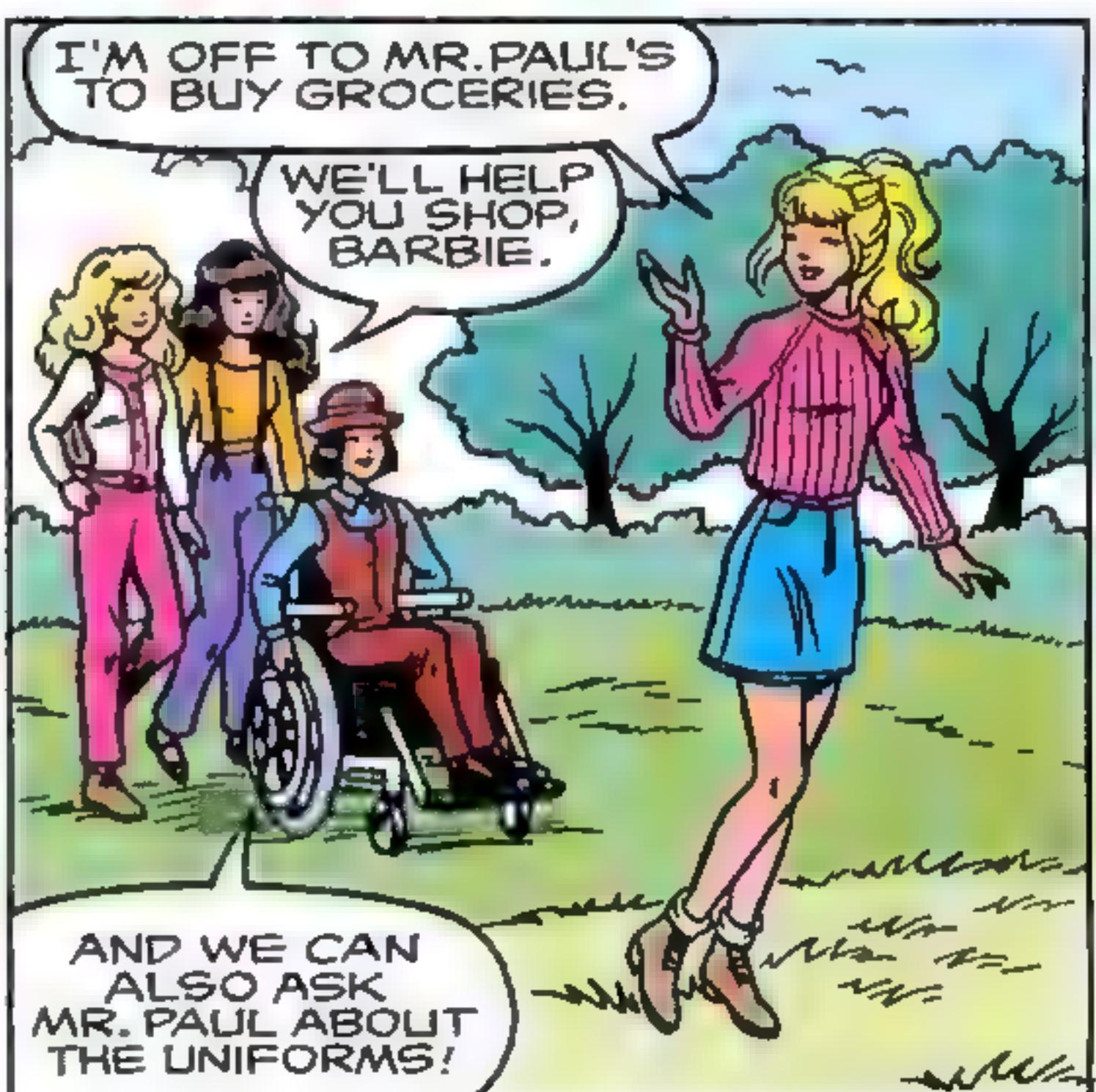


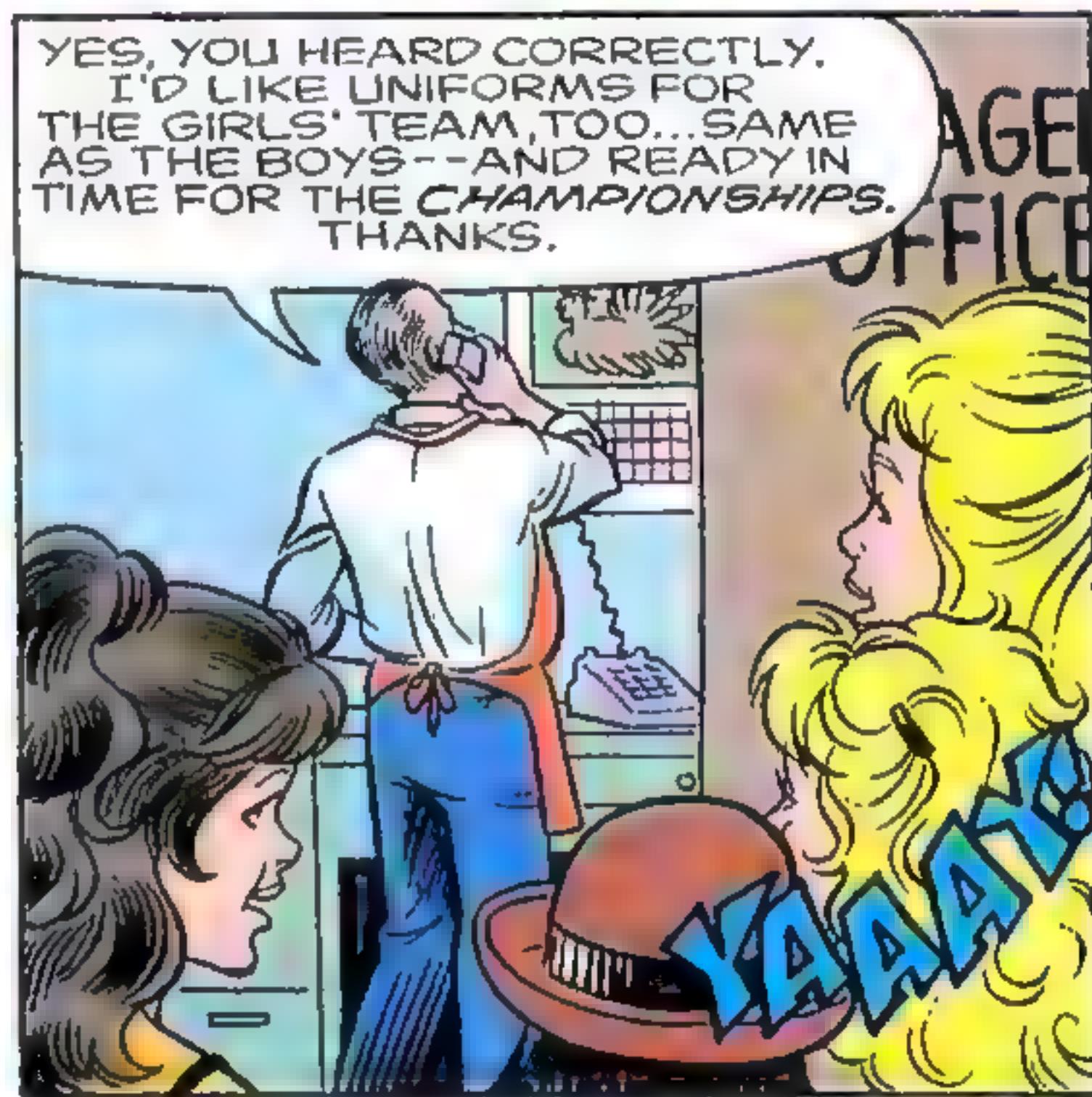
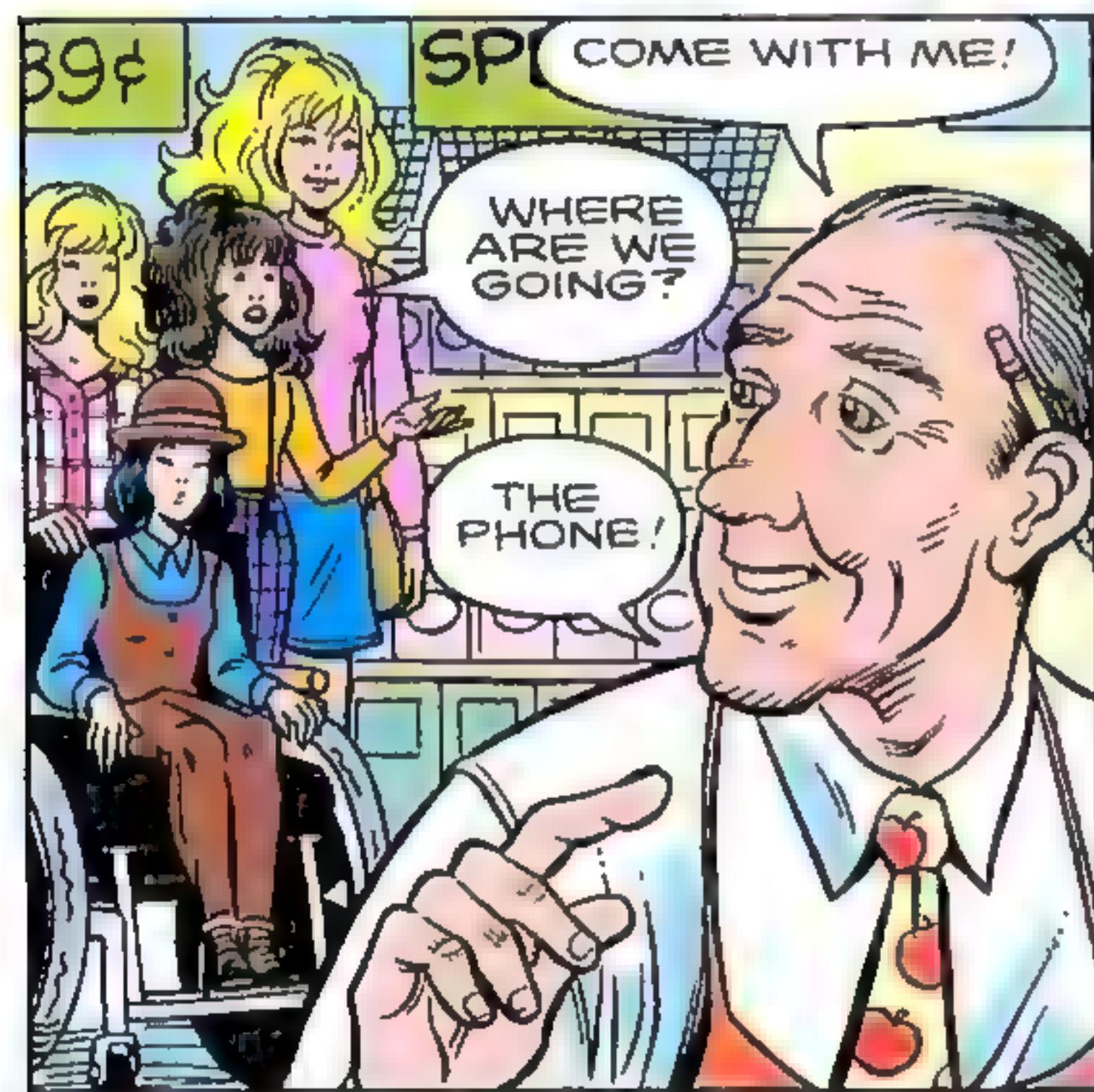
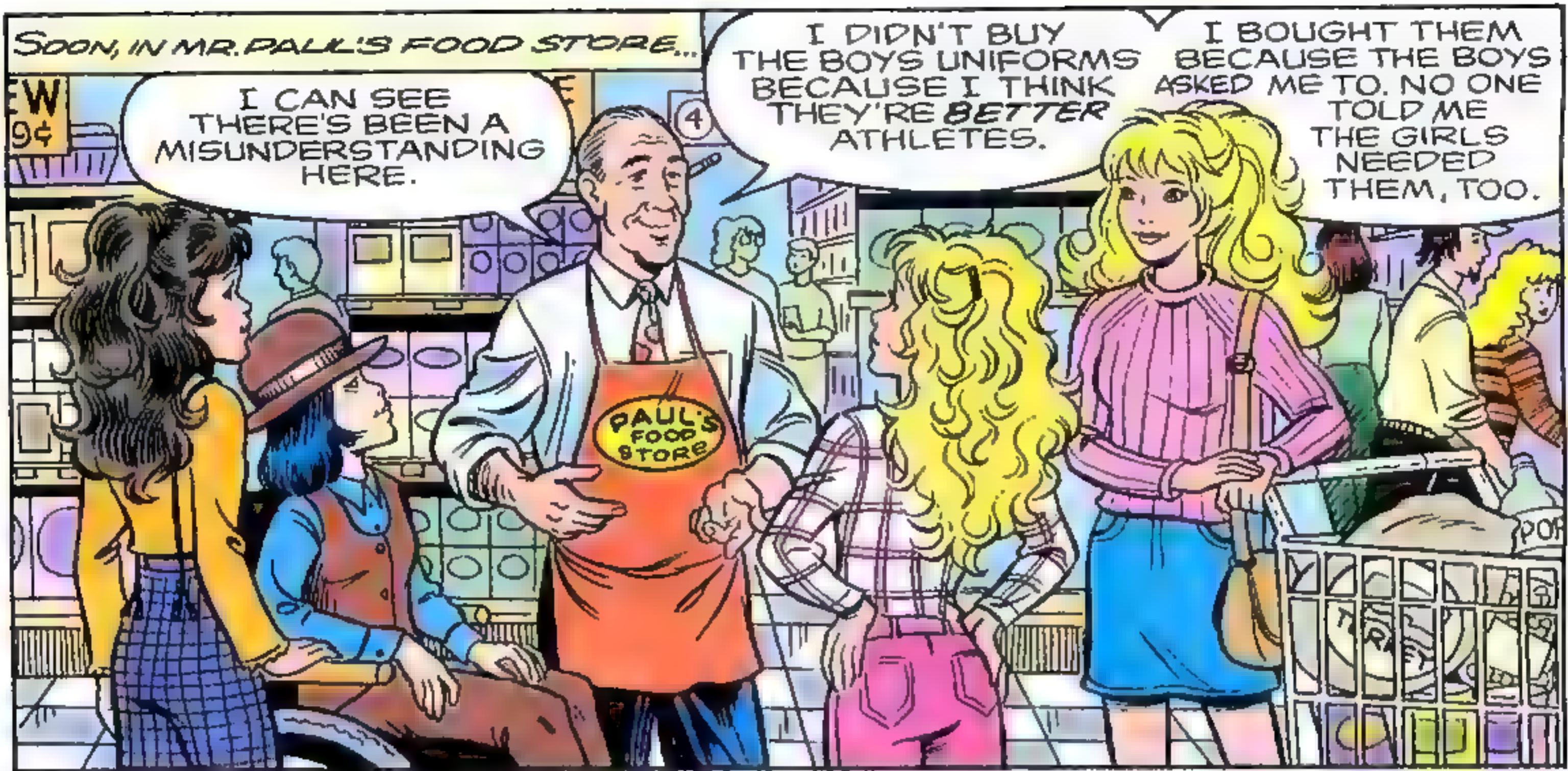












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WE BETTER PRACTICE HARD IF WE WANT TO BEAT THOSE GIRLS ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

ARE YOU KIDDING? THE GIRLS DON'T HAVE A CHANCE!

THEY'RE GOOD ENOUGH TO PLAY IN THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS. THEY MIGHT BEAT US.

THE GIRLS HAVE A GREAT TEAM BUT WE HAVE SOMETHING THEY DON'T.

IF YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT OUR NEW UNIFORMS... I DON'T THINK THAT WILL WIN THE GAME FOR US, TIM.

I'M TALKING ABOUT OUR SECRET WEAPON!

SEE THAT GUY IN THE BOX? HE'S GIOVANNI, THE NEW EXCHANGE STUDENT FROM ITALY.

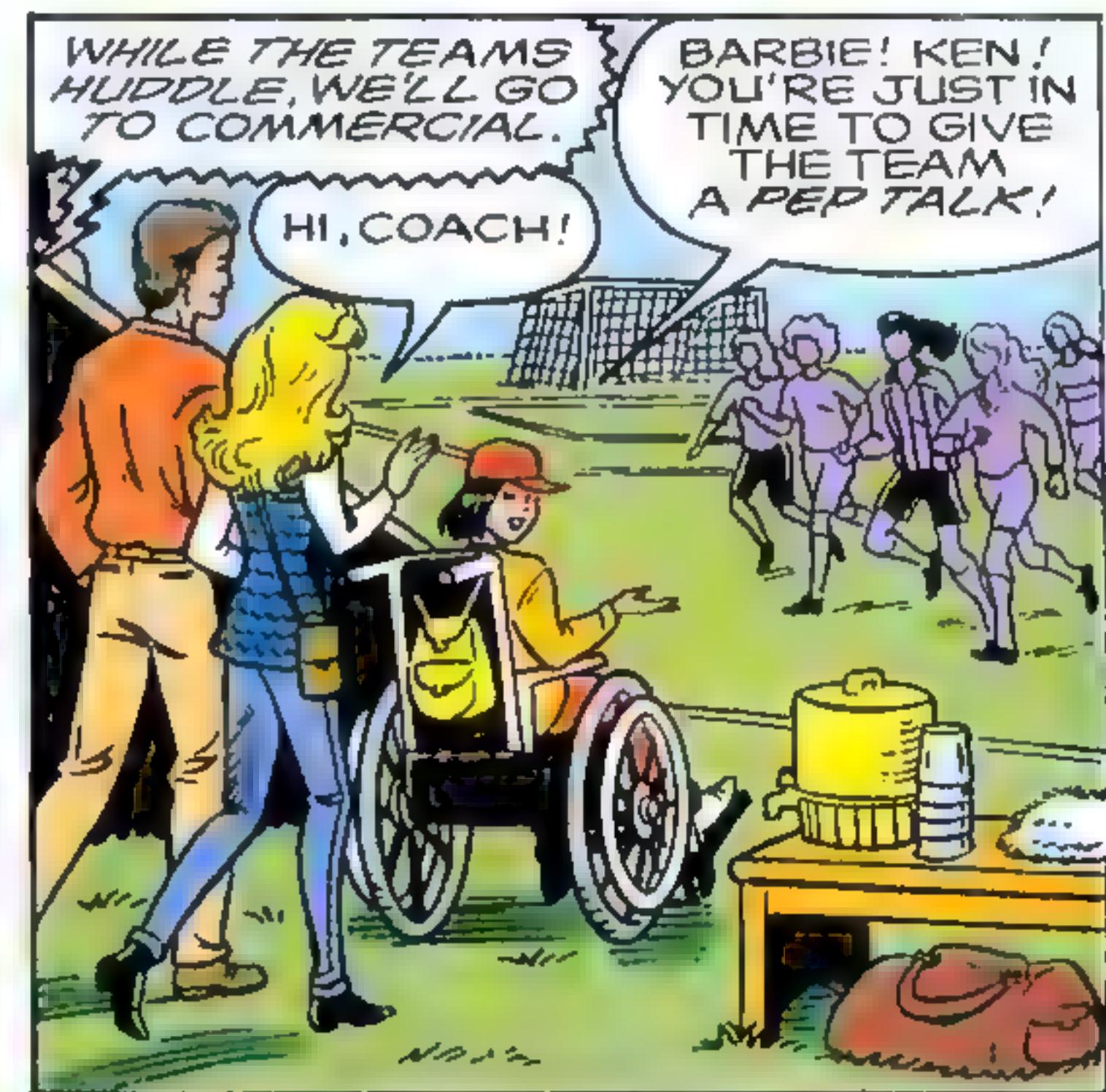
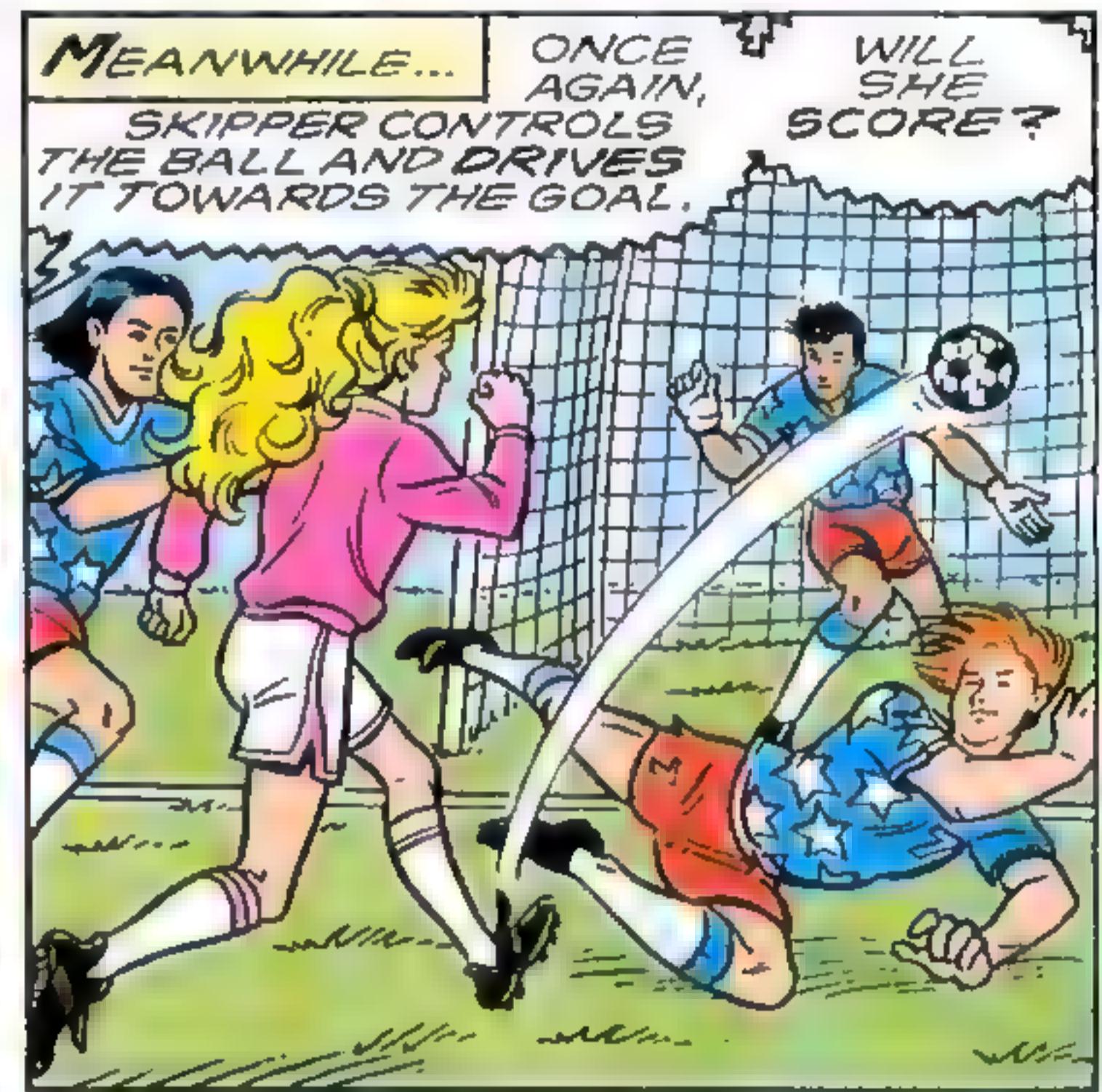
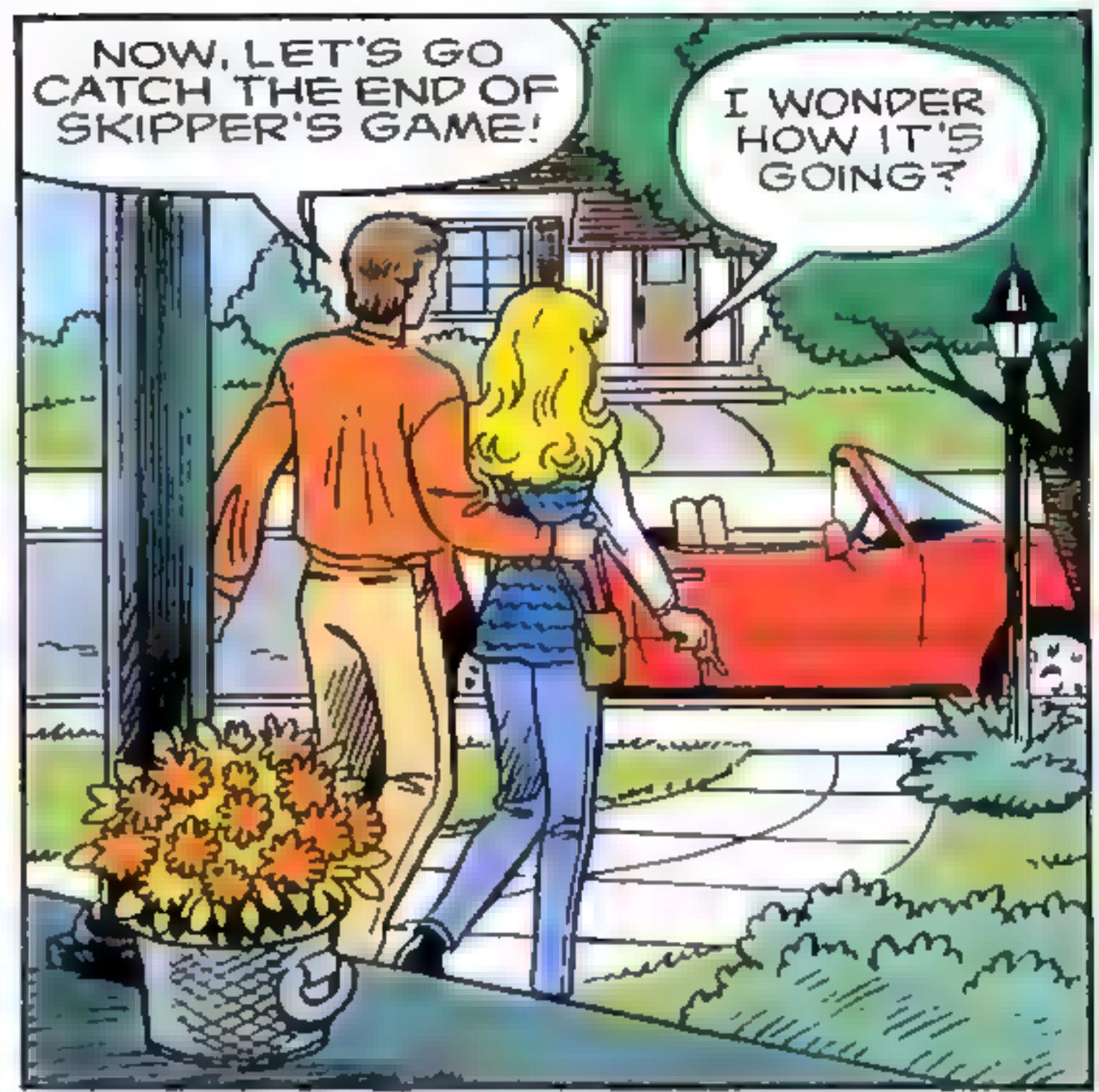
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AND HE'S PLAYING AGAINST THE GIRLS ON THURSDAY?

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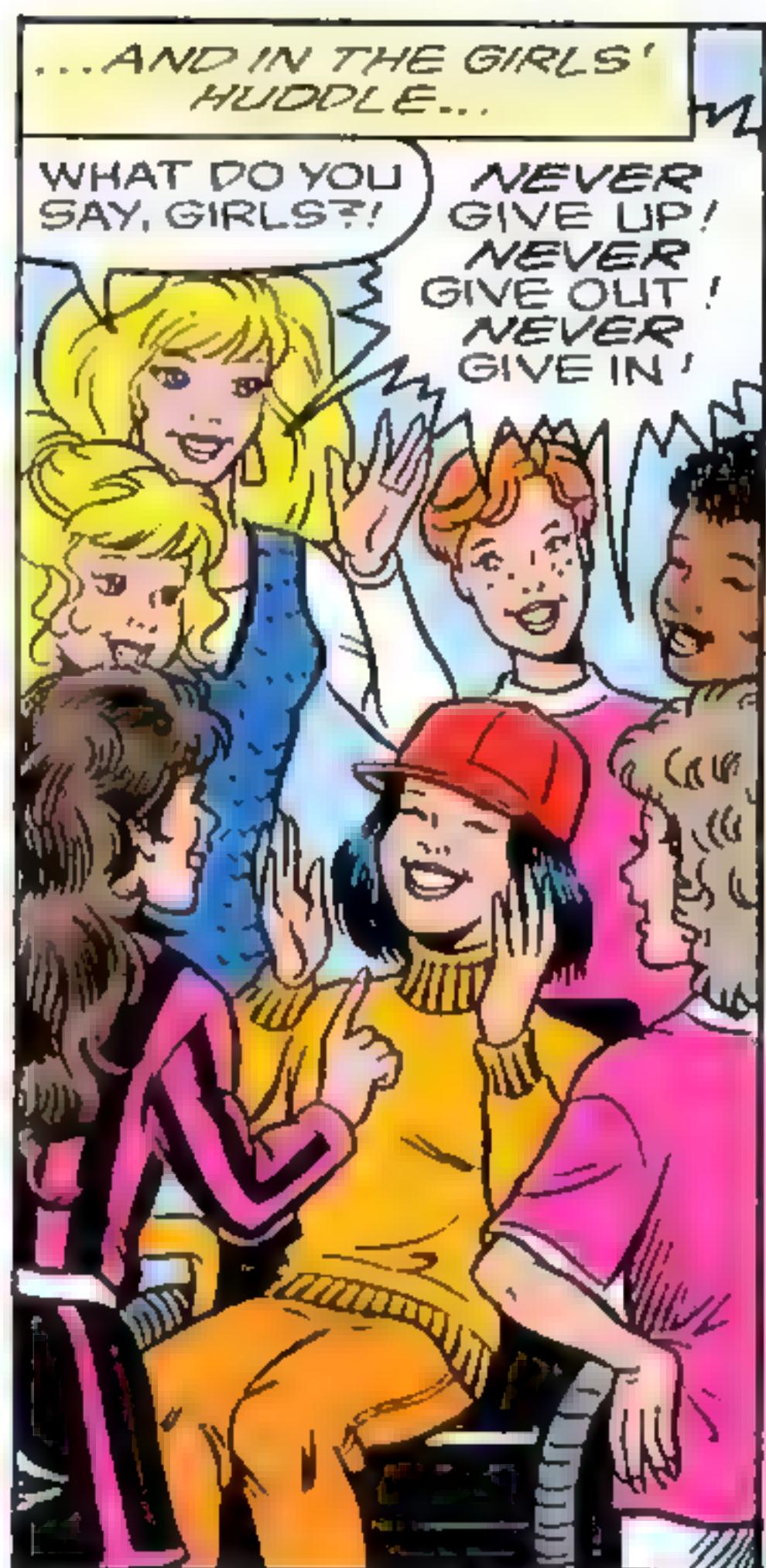


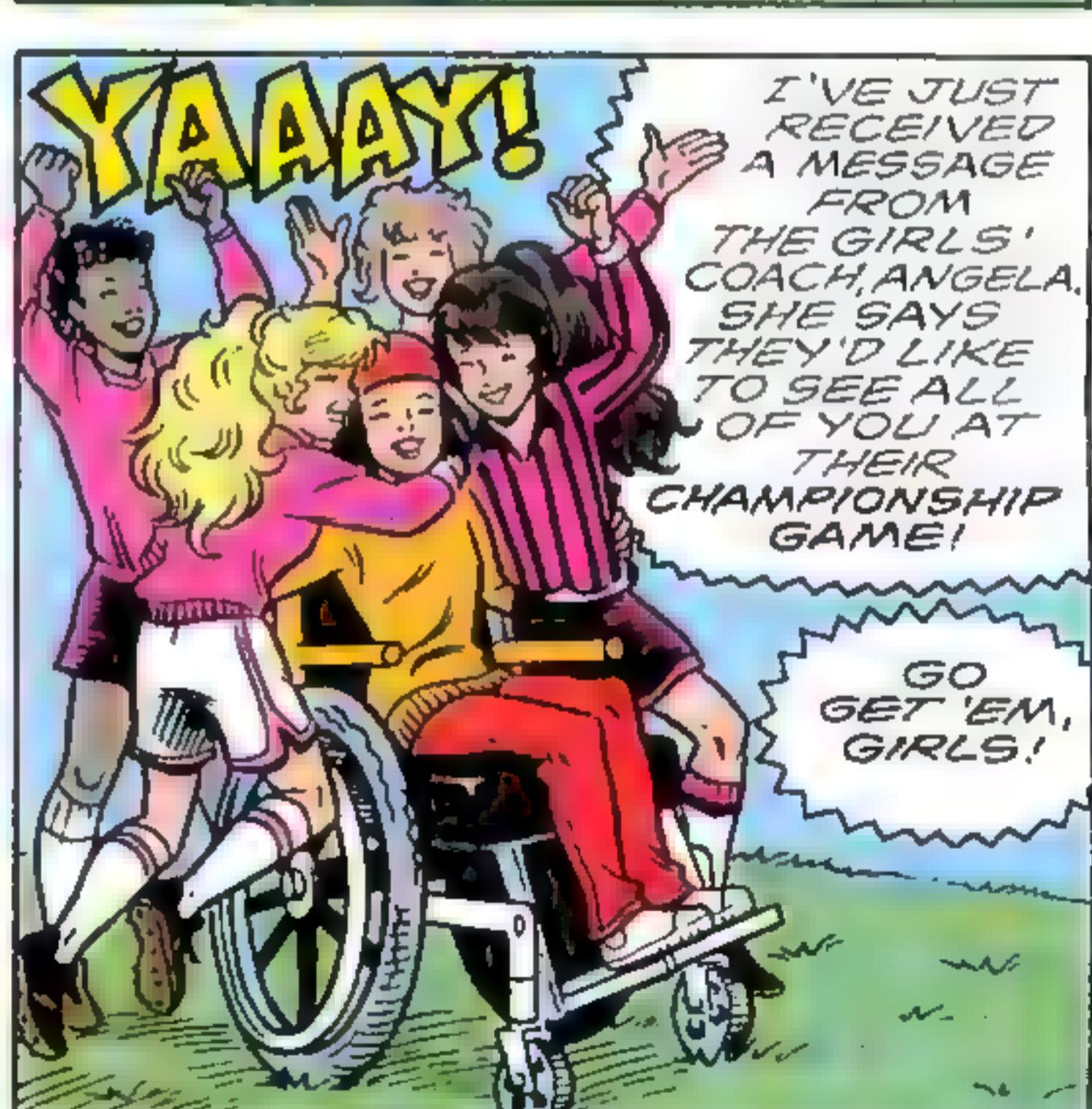
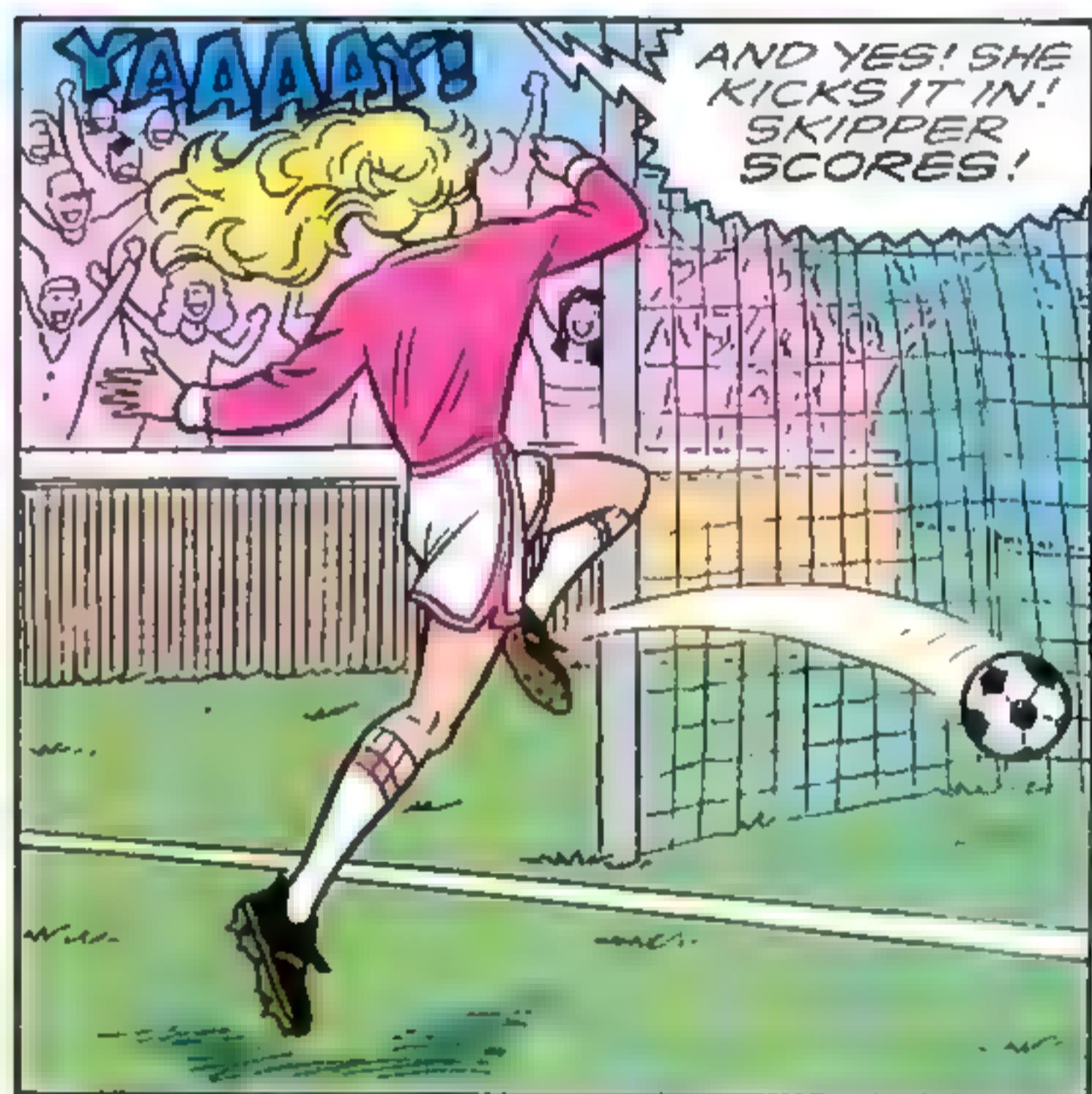
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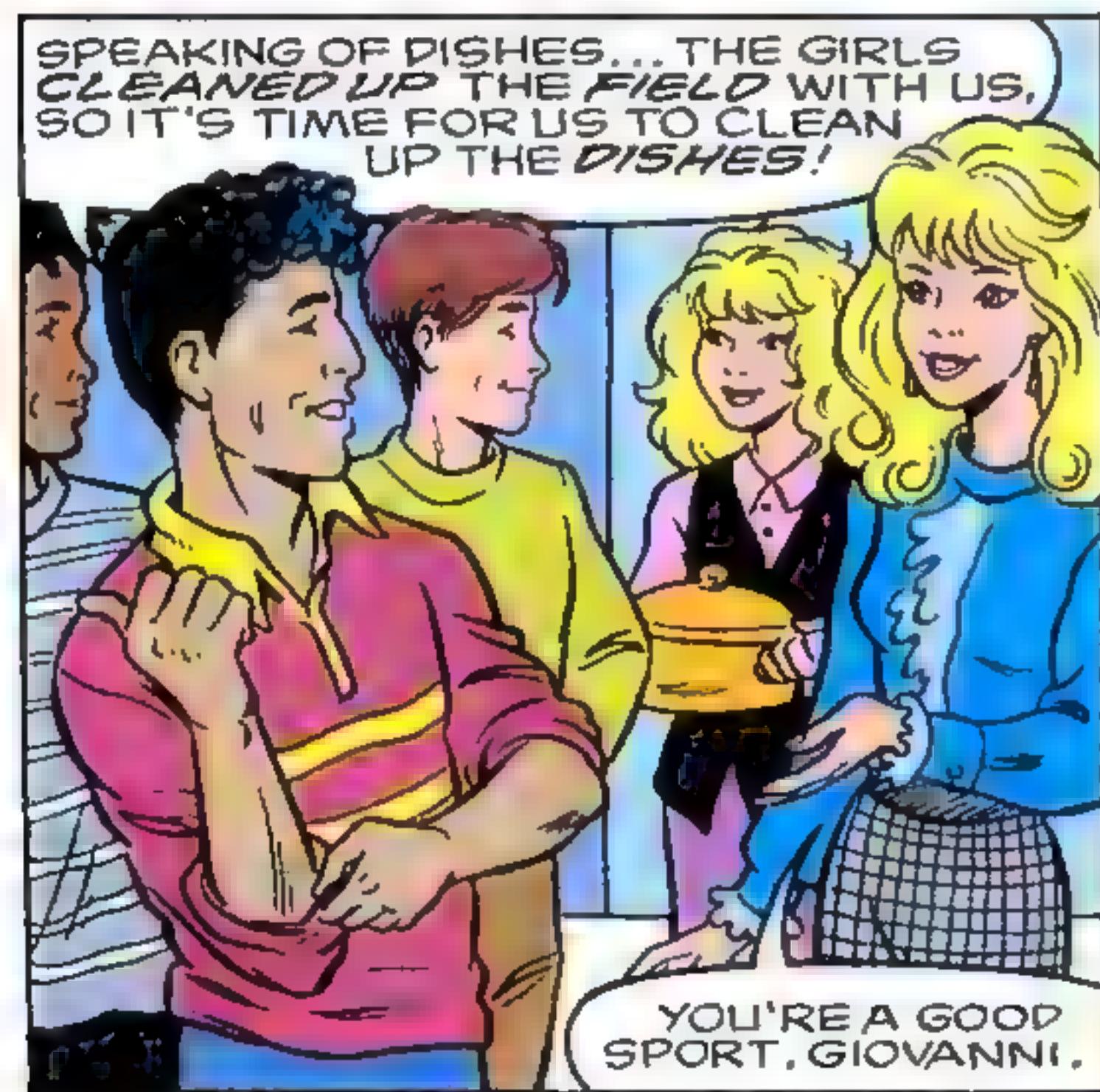
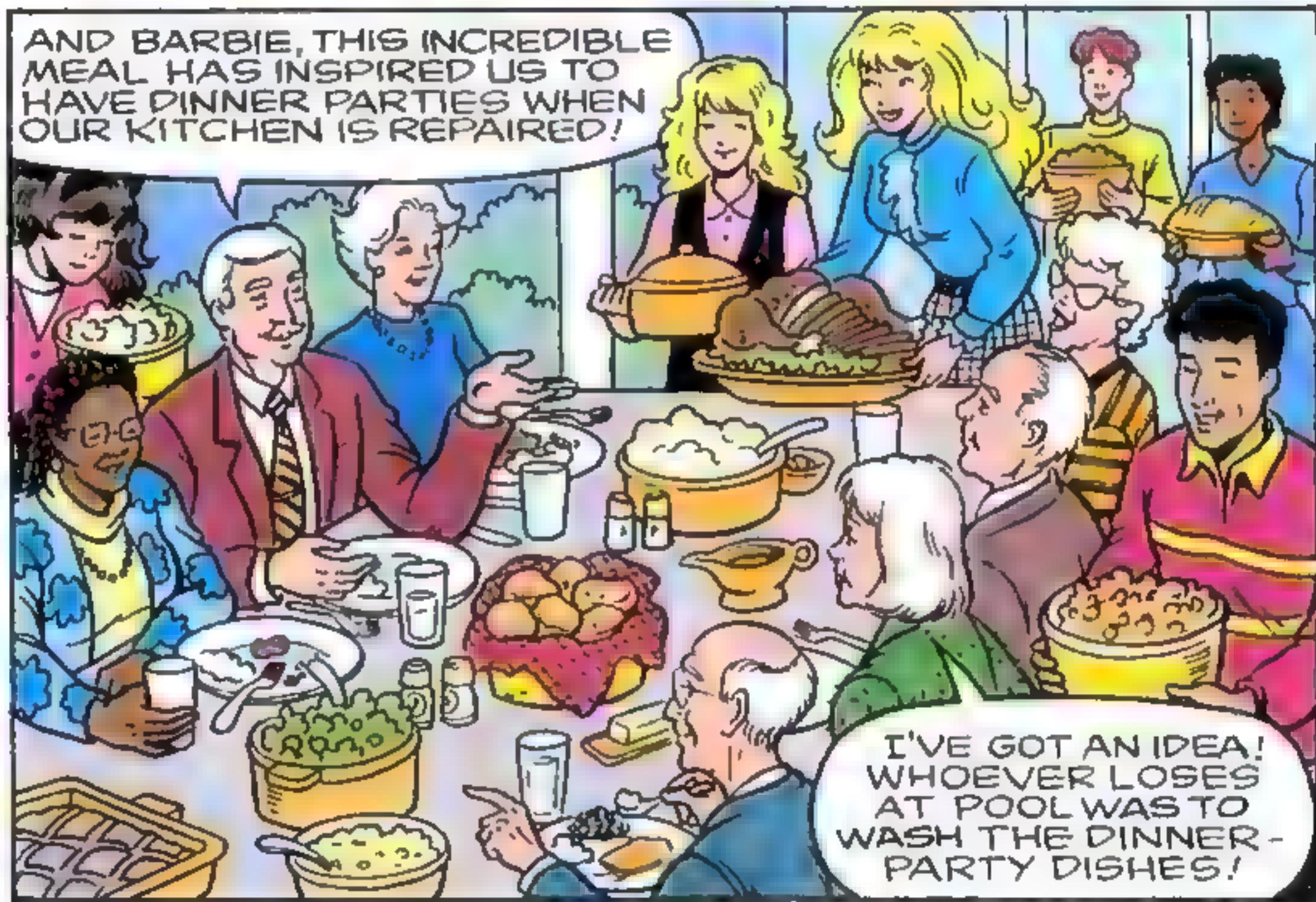
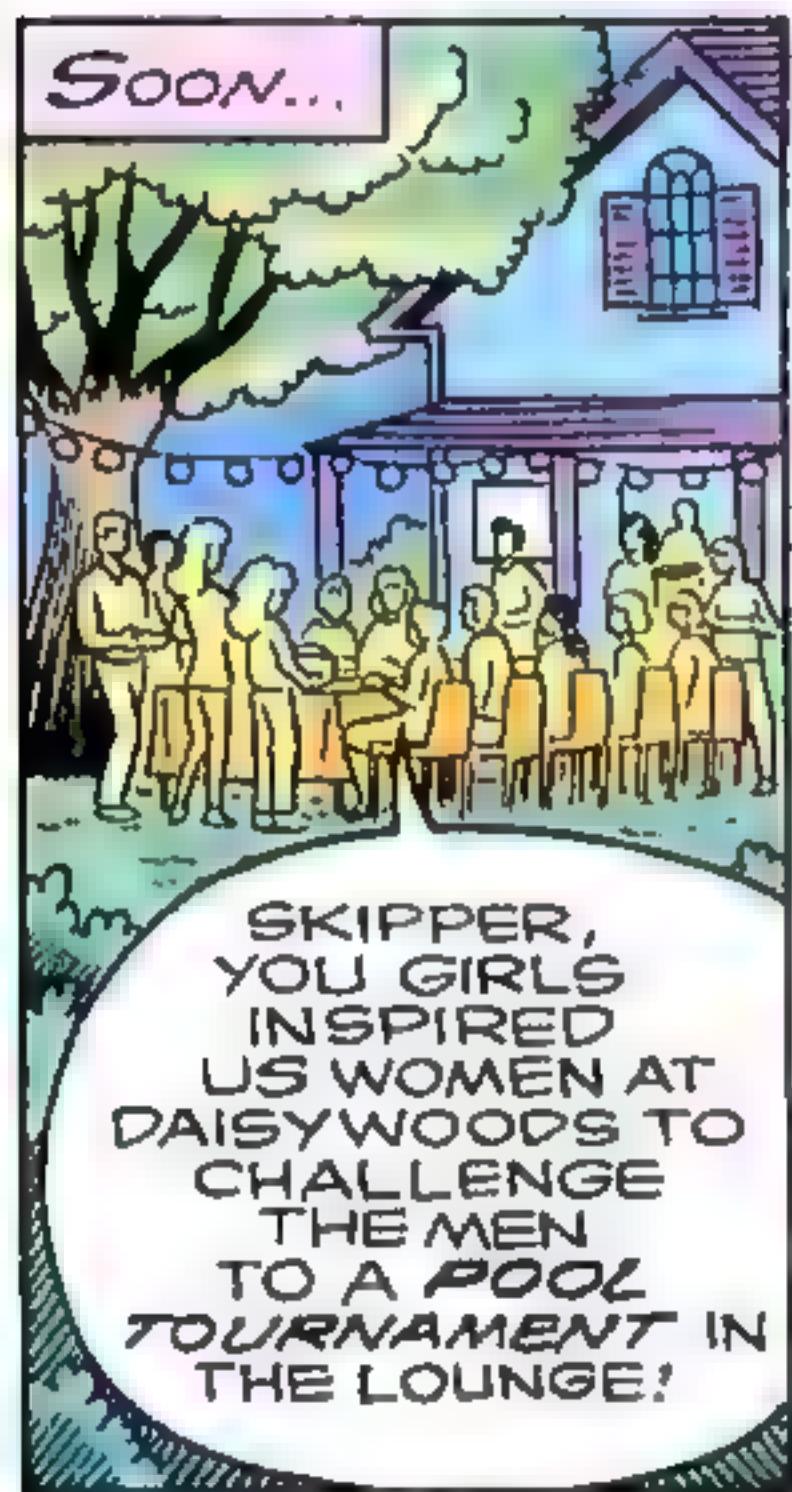
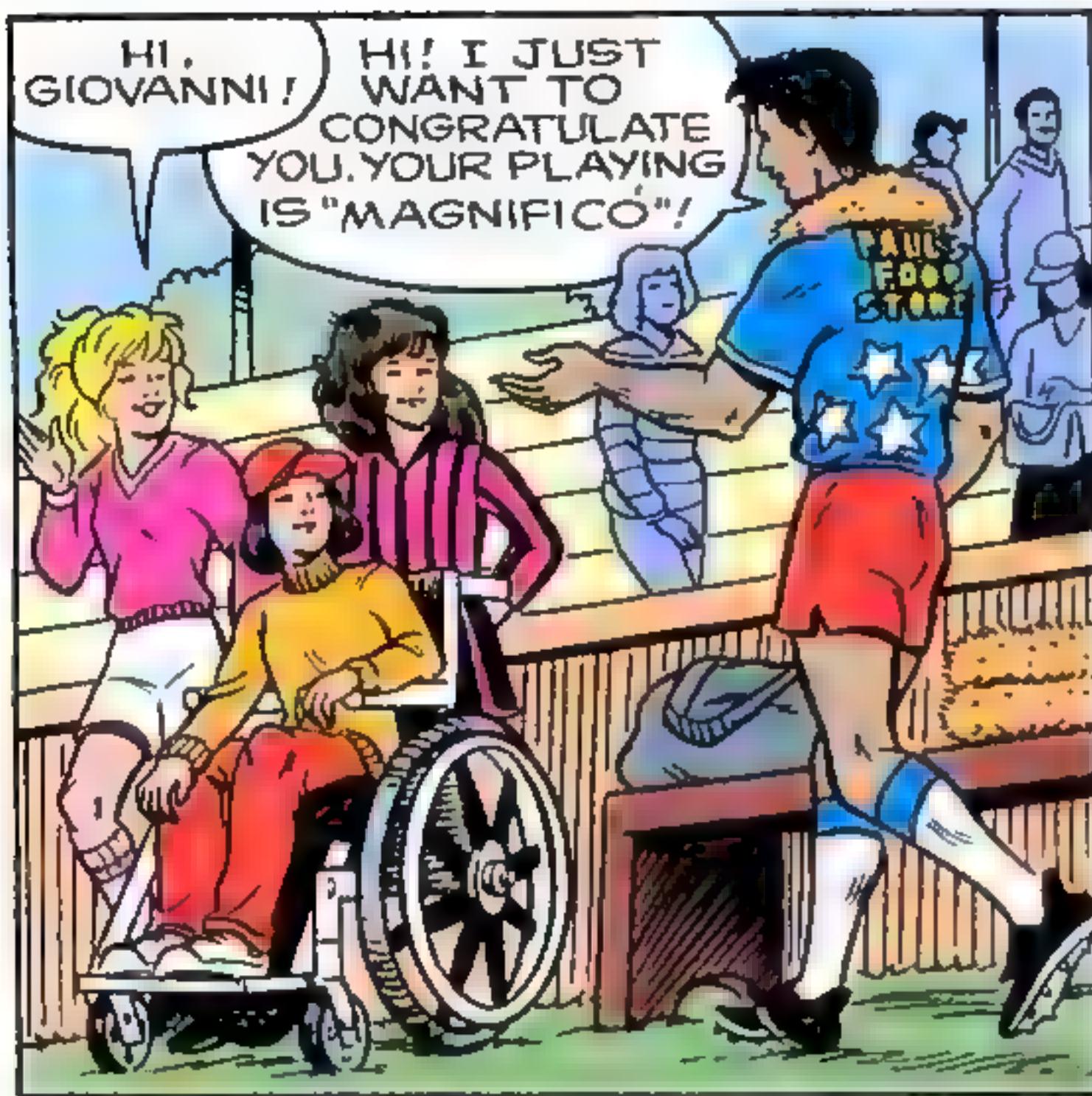
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Hey kids — Since we print your name, age, city and state, please include them on your letters!

Dear BARBIE,

I love reading your comics! I also love getting things in the mall.

I already have a lot of copies of your comics. I wish you were my sister. I would also love to have Ken as a brother.

Delilah Brikha, age 8

Barbie and Ken may not be your siblings, Delilah, but they do visit you every month — in the pages of BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION!

Dear BARBIE,

This is the first time I have ever gotten BARBIE comics. So far, I love them! I have also read BARBIE FASHION and I like it!

You are very pretty. Sometimes I wish I had a figure like you, but unfortunately I don't.

I have a lot of Barbie dolls and Barbie stuff. My dad built me a big Barbie house and it is just beautiful.

I encourage other people to read BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION. Well, I have to go now! Bye!

Nancy Cupernall, age 9
Clayton, NY

Barbie does have a beautiful figure, Nancy, but she's a doll! A doll can be designed any way the manufacturer wants. There are very few real women with a figure even resembling Barbie's!

Every person is unique and beautiful in his or her own way. Think about what a boring place the world would be if we were all the same! Let's celebrate and enjoy our differences!

Dear BARBIE,

I'm 11 years old, and I love your comics. I love the world of Barbie — so nice, peaceful and loving. And everyone helps everyone else. The world would be much better if we were all Barbies!

Everyone laughs at me, but I'm serious about BARBIE comics. I just say, "You don't know what you're missing out on!"

Barbie, you're the best!

A secret admirer, age 11
Medig, PA

Hi, secret admirer! Thanks for such a wonderful letter! We think that Barbie's comic world is a "nice, peaceful, loving" place — and we're glad you think so, too!

Dear BARBIE,

My name is Michelle and I am 6 years old. I have two sisters named Ruth and Faith. I love playing with my Barbies. My sister,

Ruth, plays with me and my Barbies.

I love your comics. My dad and I buy them at the comic book shop across the street from my house. This is my first letter. I hope you like it.

I start school soon. I can't wait to tell my class about how me and my friends played Barbies this summer.

Michelle Wong Donaghey, age 6
Newington, CT

We loved your letter, Michelle, and we hope you'll write again soon!

We hope you have a great year at school, and that you'll continue to enjoy BARBIE comics!

Dear BARBIE,

Hi! My name is Stacy. I'm 11 years old. I'm going into 5th grade. In my whole life I went to six different schools (so far). I have moved three times.

I love Barbies, and I love your comics!

Stacy Pfister, age 11
Greenfield, WI

Wow, Stacy! That's a lot of schools and a lot of moves! We bet you've gotten very good at meeting new people and making new friends! And you can always share your BARBIE comics with your new friends!

Dear BARBIE,

My name is Ashley and I am 9 years old. I have lots of your comics, and a whole bunch of Barbies. I can't stop reading my BARBIE comics over and over!

My cousin Chris laughs at me for still playing with Barbies, but I don't care! When I have a little girl when I grow up, I'm going to play Barbies with her!

Ashley Funk, age 9
Baltimore, MD

Loving all things Barbie has no age limit, Ashley! We get letters from lots of moms who play Barbies with their daughters!

Dear BARBIE,

I think your comics are great. I love the illustrations on the covers of BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION comics.

I collect comics and paper dolls. The paper doll way back in BARBIE FASHION #12 was very nice! Could you please make more of your comics have paper dolls in them? I would love it!

Zora Ferguson, age 13
Coarsegold, CA

We think our artists do some of their best work when they create our wonderful covers! They're the best!

And Zara, we'll keep your request for paper dolls in mind! Thanks for writing!

Dear BARBIE,

I enjoy reading about Barbie in BARBIE FASHION, and have just started getting BARBIE, too.

Leanne McDowell, age 8
Oamaru, South Island
New Zealand

If any readers are curious about New Zealand and want to find out more about the place where Leanne lives, check out an atlas or encyclopedia. Ask your school or public librarian for help!



BARBIE'S BIRTHDAY CORNER

We'll all be celebrating Thanksgiving this month, but some special BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION readers will be celebrating their birthdays, too! They are:

11/11, Ashley Boquist, 10, Wyomissing, PA
11/21, Marzen Plekarz, 10, Norridge, IL
11/26, Pamelia Sevilla, 9, San Francisco, CA
11/28, Cathy Sheldon, 8, Miami, FL
11/30, Hannah Litvin, 6, Houston, TX
Cherie Friedman, 14, Easton, PA
Carrie, 10, Summerton, SC

A very happy birthday to these and all the BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION readers celebrating this month! If you'd like your birthday to appear here, please send us your name, age, full address, and birthday to the address above. Please be sure to send it to us at least six months ahead of time!

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If you have a fashion for Barbie or any of her friends, be sure to send it to us here at BARBIE, c/o Marvel Comics, 387 Park Avenue South, New York, N.Y. 10016. Please be sure to include your name, age and full address!



Lilias Pettit-Scott, age 8
Sun Prairie, WI

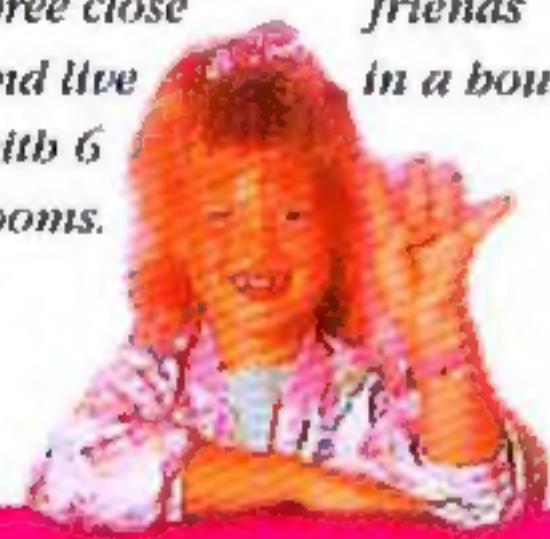
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